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Natalia Kolasa  
sports her custom  
witch costume.

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# ghouls **gone** wild

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or totally witchin'? **pages 8-9**

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# EAT

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1 Bomb-squad technician

# FEAR FACTOR

## Bomb-squad technician is ranked as No. 1 scariest job

### Chicago Tribune

Amid a slow economic recovery and with unemployment at more than 9 percent, the job market is scary these days. But if you're a bomb-squad technician, you have the scariest job in America, according to survey results of U.S. workers released Thursday.

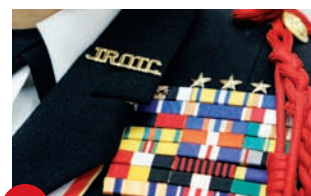
The CareerBuilder/Harris Interactive survey also asked respondents what they are most afraid of at work. The overwhelming top response was layoffs (36 percent), followed by pay cuts (13 percent), workload (9 percent), presenting in front of other people (9 percent), forced relocation (4 percent) and the boss (3 percent).

The survey of more than 4,300 workers was conducted Aug. 16-Sept. 8.

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2 High-rise window washer



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# Whether you like the weather or not



**Katie Killacky**

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There is not a coffee shop in New York, cafe in Europe or seedy bar in L.A. where someone hasn't told me, "I love Chicago!" the minute I tell them my hometown. They then proceed to tell me two things: 1) how much they looove the people and 2) how much they haaaaate the weather.

I've been living in Chicago for a couple months after having lived in L.A. for years, and I can honestly say I don't regret the decision one bit. When I tell this to my friends in L.A., their response is, "Just wait. You haven't hit the nasty weather yet." I've always felt it was the nasty weather that helped me appreciate the favorable weather that much more. Although my friend Gus always counters with, "Well, would you cut off one arm just so you could appreciate your other arm?"

It's not as though I didn't live in this city for 23 years before I moved to the West Coast. I feel I'm pretty prepared for the impending weather that should be hitting us soon. I remember cold and agree that 50 degrees is not pleasant ... that's cold, right?

I realize the sky can change faster than the number of Arnold Schwarzenegger's off-

spring, but that's what sick days are for. And yes, I am well aware that the summers can bring on some pretty mind-blowing humidity, but I hear frizzy hair is in.

I miss the coziness of blizzards in December and the fear of tornadoes in June. I also refer to movies such as "Twister" and "Deep Impact" as feel-good flicks, so my judgment might be a little off here. But I do think part of the reason Chicagoans are so cool and tough is because they have to endure real danger. It's one of the only cities where you can die in the summer because it's too hot and die in the winter because it's too cold.

Studies show that violent crime increases when the humidity is high. So not only do we have the fear of natural disasters and the lurking possibility of natural death, the weather might actually make us KILL EACH OTHER!!! This city's awesome!

I hold a belief that there's no such thing as bad weather—just bad clothing. While this sometimes can require less fashionable attire, I would prefer to have a guy show up for a date dressed in a snowsuit like the little brother in "A Christmas Story" than all decked out, Justin Timberlake-style.

No offense, J.T. You're super cute, but I can't date a guy who's more fashionable than me. Any and all attraction I have goes out the fedora when I see brand names on a dude.

So yeah, the weather in Chicago may kill me. But at least I'll die in good company.

KATIE KILLACKY IS A REDEYE SPECIAL CONTRIBUTOR.



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## STATUS UPDATE

There's no shortage of opinions in Chicago. Here are some of our favorite comments on stories, tweets and posts from each day of the week.

MONDAY

"Oreos...an entire package as long as I have a gallon of milk by my side :)"

—Cheryl Wisniewski, answering "What's your go-to 'fat snack'?" on Facebook

My favorite thing about the new rail cars is \_\_\_\_\_. And my least favorite thing is \_\_\_\_\_.

"More room, someone's crotch in my face."

—Vanessa Luis, on Facebook

TUESDAY

"Theo Epstein to the Cubs is like Barack Obama to America on Election Day 2008. #CHANGE" @drantevans

"Loved the headlines about today's #beluga story. Favorite was from @redeyechicago: 'That's a long way for a booty call' "

@bekagan, tweeting about the Shedd Aquarium sending a beluga whale to Connecticut to mate.

WEDNESDAY

"A friend from the country that just moved into the city shooting giant alley rats with his BB gun."

—Angela Liccar, answering "What's the weirdest 'man vs. wild' incident you've seen in Chicago?"

@redeyechicago Ugh, Malort? That is the most God-awful liquor I've EVER had!!

@thereezmeister, commenting on a rare drinks story that included Malort, a liquor distributed in Chicago.

THURSDAY

"Hey @redeyechicago, Chicago's Wingman @ErnestWilkins KILLED it in this Solo cup article. Amazing! 'You're the best, Around! ...' "

@EriceTheEsq

"Wow! Samuel L. Jackson is the highest grossing actor of all time! Things you learn reading @redeyechicago. :)"

@curlyfro

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**56**<sup>38</sup>  
Gray lunch



**SATURDAY**  
**51**<sup>40</sup>  
Cold sun



**SUNDAY**  
**55**<sup>42</sup>  
Mixity mix

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# POT SHOTS

## Aldermen to introduce lesser fines for small amounts of marijuana

### Chicago Tribune

Chicago aldermen will introduce an ordinance to decriminalize small amounts of marijuana, which supporters said will free police to chase more serious criminals and raise revenue for the city.

Under a proposal Ald. Daniel Solis (25th) will introduce at next week's City Council meeting, people caught in Chicago with 10 grams or less of marijuana would get a \$200 ticket, and up to 10 hours of community service.

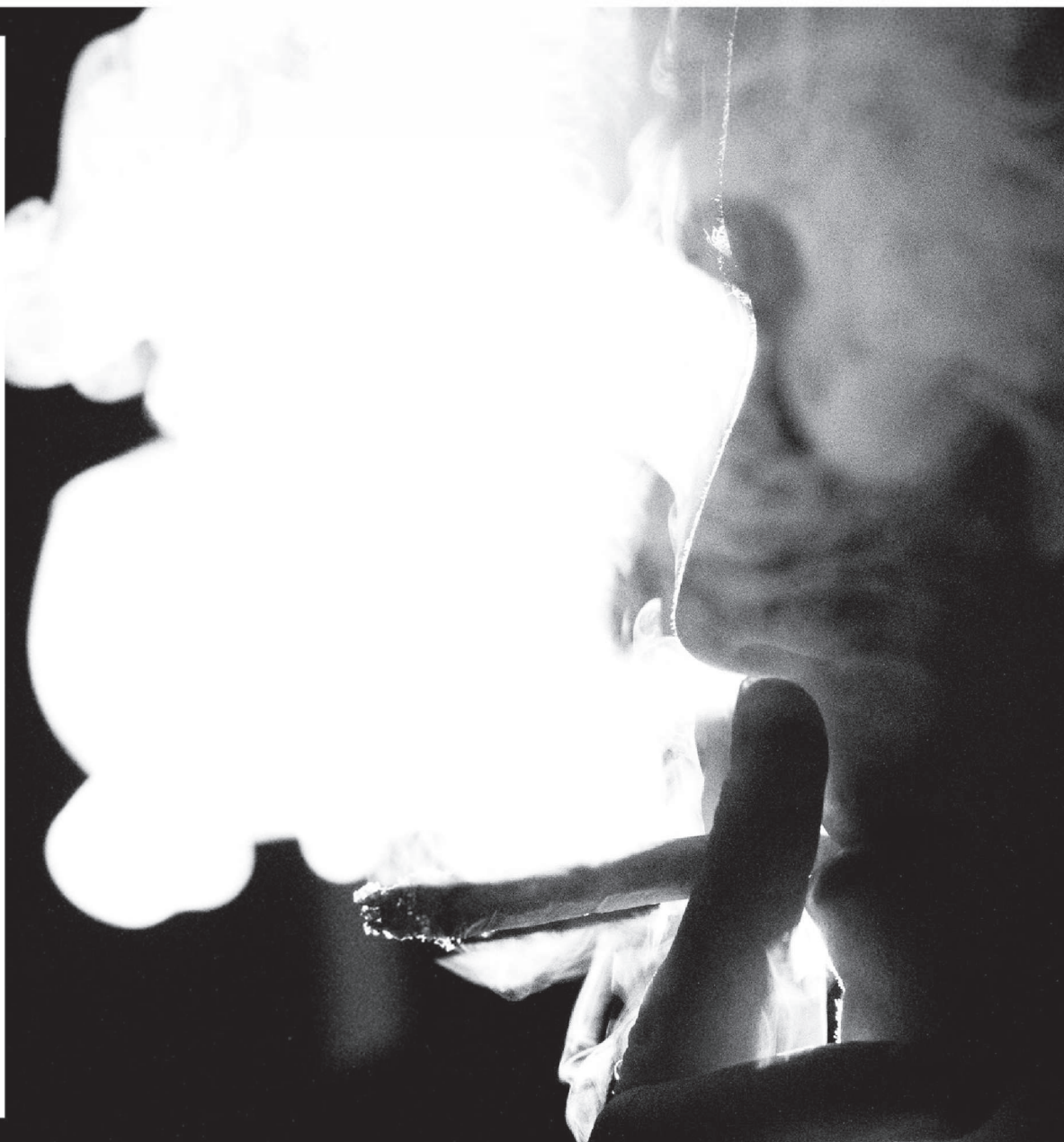
Appearing at a news conference with Solis and other aldermen, Cook County Commissioner John Fritchey said several states already have decriminalized small amounts of cannabis.

Chicago police make about 23,000 arrests each year for marijuana possession, which currently is a class b misdemeanor in the city, punishable by up to six months in jail and a \$1,500 fine, Fritchey said. Police and court personnel get tied up dealing with those arrestees, he said. "It is not time to act tough on crime; it is [time] to be smart on crime. We need our resources spent somewhere else," Fritchey said.

Ald. Walter Burnett (27th) pointed out people arrested for marijuana possession are disproportionately minorities, who now end up with arrests on their criminal records even though the vast majority of the cases are thrown out of court.

"I had the opportunity to go to Lollapalooza, Pitchfork, and I think I got contact high being at all those events," Burnett said. "Police there, everything. It wasn't predominantly African-American, and guess what? No one got arrested at those events. If that was an African-American event, the jails would probably be filled up. I think it's almost a discrimination issue."

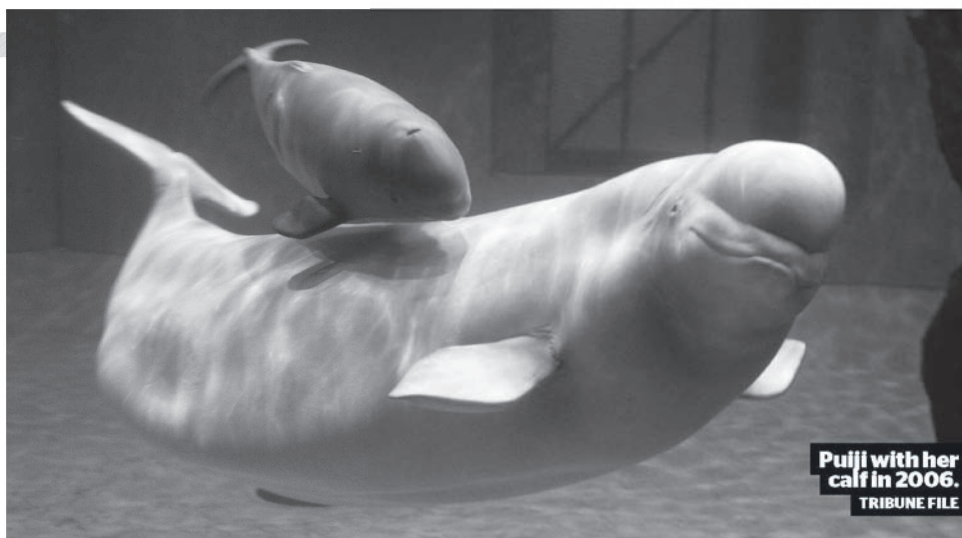
Police Supt. Garry McCarthy has mentioned the possibility of issuing tickets for marijuana possession as a way to keep his officers on the streets rather than tying them up processing people.



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## THE DIGIT

**25** Age of Puiji, the female beluga whale who was an original member of the Shedd Aquarium's beluga collection in 1989. She died following a seizure in her Oceanarium pool Wednesday night, according to aquarium officials.



Puiji with her calf in 2006.  
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## EXPRESS LINES

- » A Chicago physician who offered on Craigslist to trade prescription drugs was charged with handing out Xanax, Oxycontin and other drugs in exchange for sex, federal authorities said Thursday.
- » Call it a sign of the economic times: between 70 and 100 brass rings were stolen from fire hydrants in August and September, firefighters and water management officials said Thursday.
- » The Illinois Senate has voted in favor of Mayor Emanuel's measure that would allow Chicago to start using cameras to ticket speeders in so-called safety zones. **TRIBUNE**



## cover story

### CELEB COSTUMES WANTED— DEAD OR ALIVE

They may not be monsters and ghouls, but celebrities, athletes and other newsmakers are always popular Halloween costume choices. Here are a few that Chicago costume shop workers have flagged as hot this year.

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» Charlie Sheen



» Rod Blagojevich



» Mayor Emanuel



» Steve Jobs



» Amy Winehouse



“You have to go all out.”  
— Louis Grennebaum

“Some people spend a lot of money for Christmas. I spend a lot of money for Halloween.”  
— Natalia Kolasa

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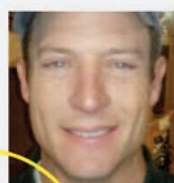


## COSTUME CONFIDENTIAL

Whatever you do this Halloween, don't go as a pregnant nun. We learned that and other tips after convening the following panel of costume experts from the Chicago area. P.L.



**1** What Halloween costume cliché needs to die?



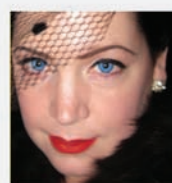
**Tim Dennis**  
Manager at Fantasy  
Costumes in Chicago

Monks, **prisoners**, priests, pregnant **nuns**. They are cheap and easy to do for people who are lazy.



**John LaFlamboy**  
Co-owner of haunt-  
edhousechicago.  
com and director of  
Statesville Haunted  
Prison

My friend Chad Savage [Alex Savage's husband] always says, "Friends don't let friends dress up like The Crow." The same can be said of The Joker.



**Alex Savage**  
Frequent costume  
contest judge,  
founder of vampire  
enthusiast site  
vampiresocialclub.  
com

The "This is my costume" T-shirt



**Cookie Gluck**  
Evanston-based  
commercial cos-  
tume designer

We must stop thinking that Halloween is the only time we can wear costumes or dress conspicuously.

**2** What will we see a lot of this year?



Costumes associated with movies, TV shows and stars, like pirates from "Pirates of the Caribbean," "Pan Am" [stewardesses], **Lady Gaga**, Katy Perry, Harry Potter.

Angry Birds. I'm looking forward to seeing who dresses up like the honey badger [from the hit YouTube video].



Zombies, **vampires**, Dia de los Muertos faces, viral video stars.



Zombies, **superheroes**, steam punks.

**3** What's the worst mistake people make with costumes?

They think they can easily find all the materials they need. You may not find all the accessories, and [assembling a costume] may cost you more than just buying [something similar].

Not giving yourself enough time. You don't want to be rushed with stuff like that.

Not having a clear idea and executing it poorly.

Having too big or too vague a concept and lacking the skills to materialize it can be frustrating.

# Money monsters

## Is your bank account taking a ghoulish hit this Halloween?

By Piet Levy

FOR REDEYE

This Halloween, there might be other witch outfits, but few like Natalia Kolasa's.

The Wrigleyville resident spent upward of \$400 on her custom costume this year, shelling out \$100 for a Gothic, Renaissance-style dress and spending the rest on must-have, hand-painted contact lenses. The tab was typical for Kolasa, 32, an attorney who already has planned her Halloween costumes through 2013.

"Some people spend a lot of money for Christmas. I spend a lot of money for Halloween," she said.

Kolasa's big-ticket costume cost more than five times the \$72 average Americans plan to spend this year on decorations, costumes and candy combined, according to the National Retail Federation. That puts her on the far end of the 2011 survey, which finds people are spending more this year than they did in 2010—despite an economy that is treading water.

While spending is trending, there are some

who are fed up with the shopping routine: About four in 10 people say purchasing a Halloween costume from a store is too expensive, a nearly fourfold increase from last year, according to a survey by Microsoft's Bing search engine.

"Even if I had more to spend, I would do it this way," said Erin Emerick, 32, a Lincoln Square resident who made a costume last year. Her vampire version of Madonna from the "Like a Virgin" video clocked in at about \$30. "I couldn't drop a bunch of money on something I'm going to only use once."

Costume pros say a prefab costume can save you time, and an expensive one probably will be better constructed than a DIY one—which may not turn out the way you want it to.

Tim Dennis, manager at Fantasy Costumes superstore in Chicago, says spending big spares you the hassle and the multiple store trips often required to put something together yourself. Naturally, Dennis is partial given his job—Halloween is such huge business for Fantasy that the store will be open 24 hours a day until midnight Nov. 1.

Alex Savage, a serial costume contest judge, said expensive threads can elicit the "paparazzi effect" at contests and Halloween parties such as the Ghastly Gathering Halloween Dance Party at Late Bar in Avondale earlier this month.

"Last year when we did the event, a person came in a Victorian death mask with the wig and everything," said Savage, whose website, [vampiresocialclub.net](http://vampiresocialclub.net), played host. "It was a gorgeous costume ... and people took tons of pictures."

But expensive costume aren't always the most popular. This year, two low-cost DIY costumes took first and second place at the party's costume contest—a woman dressed as a dog with a plastic cone around her head, and a Fay Wray lookalike from the 1933 classic "King Kong," complete with giant gorilla hand around her body.

"A lot of people do witches and vampires, but the 'King Kong' lady, no one sees that," Savage said. "People like a good crowd pleaser, something clever and funny they haven't seen." To do that, you may not need a lot of money, just a clever concept and strong execution.

For Halloween fanatics like Louis Grennebaum, 32, of Austin, who drops at least \$100 on his getup each year, the important thing is not where or how you get your costume; it's how you wear it.

"You have to go all-out," said Grennebaum, who's going as He-Man this year, "or you don't go out at all."

PIET LEVY IS A REDEYE SPECIAL CONTRIBUTOR.

## DID YOU KNOW?



The number of pop-up stores dedicated to Halloween merchandise rose an estimated 8 percent this year from 2010, according to IBISWorld Inc. Last year, the pop-up shops expanded by 15 percent, the California-based market research firm estimated. TRIBUNE



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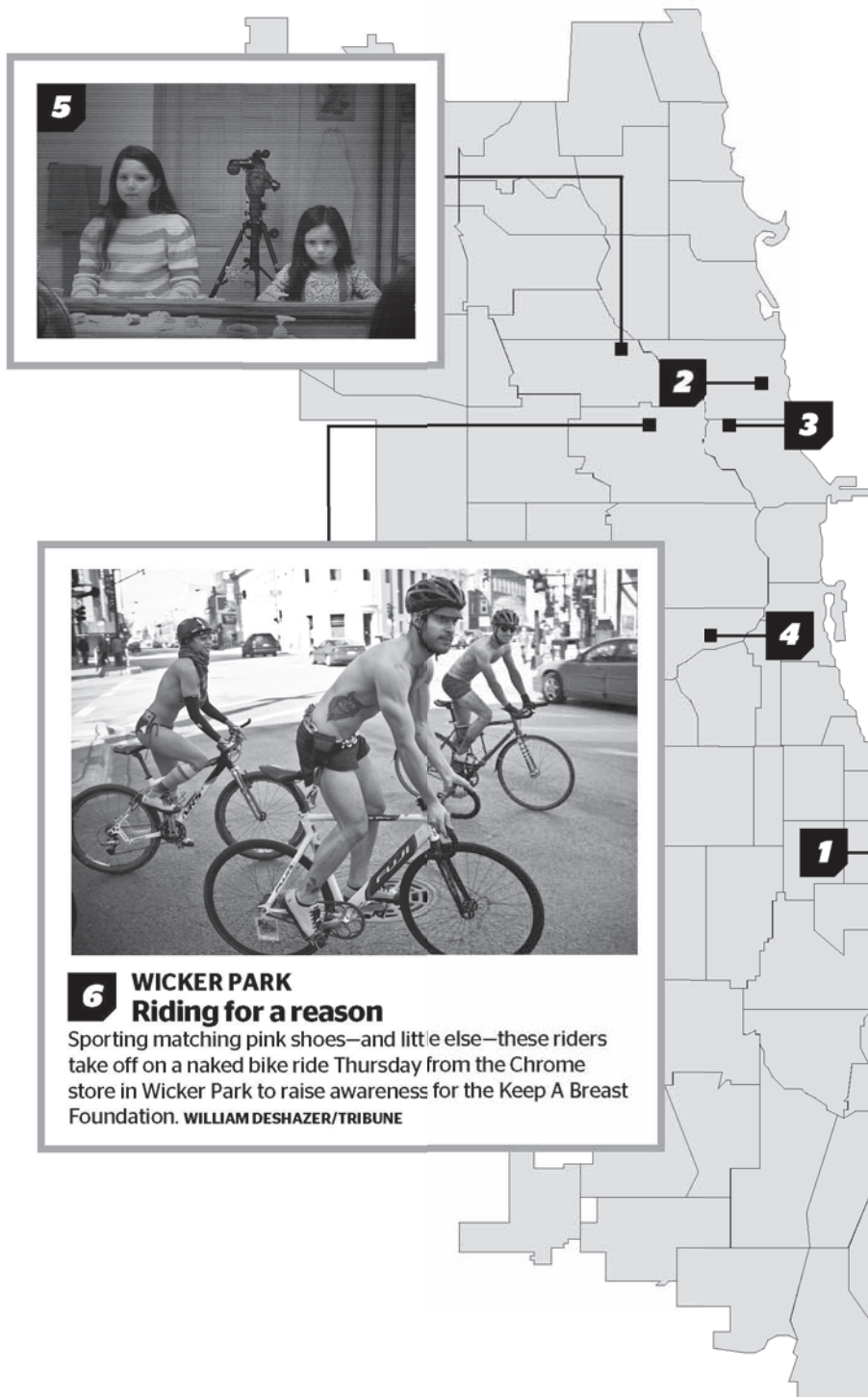
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## HYDE PARK

### 'Jersey Shore' goes to school

**1** They taught us how to beat up the beat and fist pump. They enlightened us on the importance of GTL. They introduced new words to our vocabulary: twinning, grenade and smush.

Now, the tan-tastic, "fresh-to-death"-looking "Jersey Shore" partiers are invading the University of Chicago. Sort of.

Here's the situation: The popular MTV show best known for its antics, drama and memorable one-liners is the subject of a conference at the University of Chicago on Friday.

Academics from all over the country will lead intellectual conversations centered on a show that isn't considered, well, all that intellectual. RedEye reporter Georgia Garvey will be moderating a discussion that features a panel of the A.V. Club.

The conference will cover various subjects related to the "Jersey Shore" from gender roles to culture to economics to the so-called "guido" identity. A sampling of topics of discussion:

- » "Shorely This Can't Be Right: Domestic Violence and the Relationships of Jersey Shore"
- » "GTL, Drunkenness, and Oompa-Loompa Party Girls: The Impact of Jersey Shore on the Jersey Shore"
- » "SHOTS! An Analysis of Italian, American, and Italian-American Beverage Consumption in Jersey Shore"

## LINCOLN PARK

### Scarecrows light up Clark Street

Take a stroll on Clark Street between Armitage and Diversey avenues and you'll likely notice a few extra sets of eyeballs staring at you through the shop windows. They are all scarecrows, created by businesses along Clark Street as part of the Lincoln Park Chamber of Commerce's yearly Spooktacular event.

## NEAR NORTH SIDE

### Celebration of the 'stache

Make way for the mustache. The St. Louis-based American Mustache Institute hosts its "'Stache Bash 2011" on Friday at Joe's Sports Bar (940 W. Weed St.). The event is designed to raise money for the Prostate Cancer Foundation and LiveStrong.

## PILSEN

### Community turns out for clean air rally

Several residents gathered Tuesday at Pilsen Elementary Community Academy for a clean-air rally and press conference organized by the Sierra Club. Representatives from the Respiratory Health Association of Metropolitan Chicago, Pilsen Alliance and other groups were in attendance.

## LOGAN SQUARE

### Get 'Paranormal' all night

The Regal theater at 2600 N. Western Ave. is one of select venues across the country showing the "Paranormal Activity" franchise from beginning to end at midnight Friday. The theater is screening all three films in chronological order for the price of a single admission. Call (773) 394-1601 for more details.

## WICKER PARK

### Riding for a reason

Sporting matching pink shoes—and litt'e else—these riders take off on a naked bike ride Thursday from the Chrome store in Wicker Park to raise awareness for the Keep A Breast Foundation. **WILLIAM DESHAZER/TRIBUNE**



Here in the 21st century, I'm all about feminism and in relationships, I'm all for equality in paying for things, but splitting the check on a first [and second] date is just embarrassing."

—Melinda McIntire, Bucktown/Wicker Park blogger



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## Stocks soar on European plan for debt

**1** Europe finally has a deal, and investors are pleased ... for now. U.S. stocks rallied Thursday, with the major indexes jumping about 3 percent, after European Union leaders agreed to expand Europe's bailout fund and take major losses on Greek bonds. The day's rally pushed the S&P 500 into positive territory for the year and moved the Dow above the 12,000 mark for the first time since Aug. 1.

### Deficit discussions

**2** Republicans sitting on a Congressional "super committee" are calling for \$2.2 trillion in deficit reduction, including significant cuts to health-care programs for the elderly and poor, congressional aides said Thursday. The panel of six Republicans and six Democrats has been negotiating behind closed doors, but the details of the Republican plan show the two sides are still far apart.

### Setback for Edwards

**3** A federal judge in North Carolina on Thursday allowed the criminal case to proceed against former Democratic presidential candidate John Edwards, who is accused of accepting illegal campaign contributions to hide an affair. Edwards, who has pleaded not guilty, is set to go to trial in January.

### Tyler: 'I just passed out'

**4** Steven Tyler went on NBC's "Today" show Thursday to discuss his painful fall earlier this week in a hotel bathroom. The Aerosmith frontman and "American Idol" judge, 63, says he was battling food poisoning and began to feel nauseated in the shower. "I started to get sick, and I just fell on my face," he said. "I just passed out."



Rescue workers carry a man from a collapsed building Thursday—more than 100 hours after an earthquake struck eastern Turkey. REUTERS

# Amazing rescue amid catastrophe

**5** **ERCIS, Turkey** Rescue workers pulled a man from the rubble alive Thursday, more than four days after a huge quake killed at least 534 in Turkey, while homeless survivors fearing death from cold begged for aid and some accused the government of a slow response.

"Praise be to Allah!" cried the uncle of 18-year-old Imdat, whose name means "help" in Turkish, as hundreds of onlookers gave shouts of joy in the town of Erçis, the place worst hit by Sunday's 7.2 magnitude quake.

A military rescue team from Azerbaijan rescued Imdat after burrowing deep into the rubble for more than two days.

Freed at last after more than 100 hours buried alive, Imdat was lifted onto a stretcher by medical workers, who carried him through cheering crowds to a waiting ambulance.

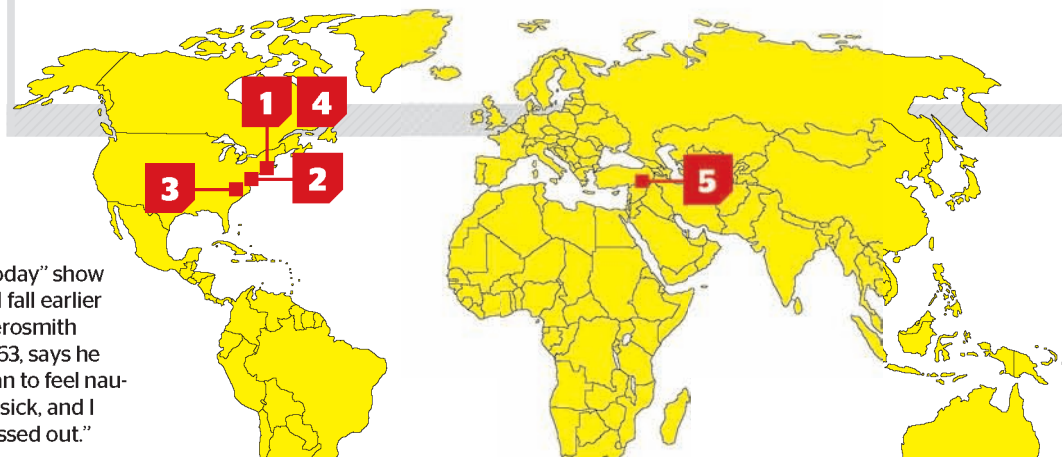
The dramatic scene was a brief moment

of joy after the earthquake devastated towns and villages and left thousands sleeping in the open—as the government struggles to deliver tents, food and other aid to distraught families.

Some survivors—who had stood in long queues only to be told there were no tents left—accused officials in the mostly Kurdish region of handing aid to supporters of the ruling AK party. Others said profiteers were hoarding tents and reselling them.

"Everyone is getting sick and wet. We have been waiting in line for four days like this and still nothing. It gets to our turn and they say they have run out," said Fetih Zengin, 38, an estate agent whose house was badly damaged in Erçis, a town of 100,000.

"We slept under a piece of plastic erected on some wood boards we found. We have 10 children in our family; they are getting sick. Everyone needs a tent, snow is coming. It's a disaster."





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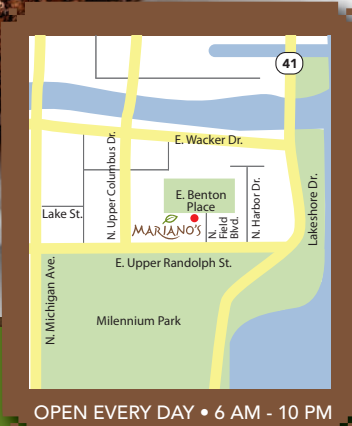
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- » Hair as frizzy and as big as you can make it
- » seersucker suit
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# Costume ballers

With 3 days left until Halloween, here are RedEye's 6 slam dunk ideas for Chicago sports fans



## Lovie Smith

- » Bears pajamas (with "everything tucked away," as he told RedEye in a recent interview)
- » headset
- » bottle of NyQuil

*\* To really sell this one, practice not showing any emotion. That should really scare people.*



**Patrick Kane**

- » Hawaiian shirt with sunglasses dangling from the collar—look up "Kaner shuffle" on YouTube to get the full visual
- » khaki shorts
- » brown flip-flops
- » beach ball

*\* Bad dance moves are a must with this getup.*




## Jake Peavy

- » Peavy jersey
- » a prosthetic right arm—his is on the verge of falling off, and it'll be hilarious when your friends pull on it and it detaches.

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**1 No Bears game this week-end. What's that mean for you?**

My drinking before church will be even more frowned upon than usual.

Arthroscopic surgery on my butt.

More scaring the neighborhood trick-or-treaters for me!

A shocking realization of how empty my life is without ... look, Patriots-Steelers!

Talking some sense into NBA owners and players. And by "talking," I mean threatening with physical violence.

**2 The Bears trying out six players in October is like ...**

... that time Jimmy came to my house Nov. 1 in his sexy nurse outfit: He was late to the party.

... Jerry Angelo drafting in April. At best, only one will stick.

... asking for another hole card in Texas Hold 'Em.

... a subtle way of saying Jerry Angelo really, really sucks.

... me trying to hunt in the desert.

**3 Patrick Kane has a new spin move. What will he unveil next?**

This weekend? A tasteful Halloween costume—I hope.

Falling off the barstool in front of the ladies yet still scoring.

A triple lutz shootout move Nov. 6 against Luongo. Bobby Lu will CRY.

The move where he stays out all night and somehow has the flu the next day.

The "stomp and go" move, courtesy of yours truly.

**4 Who said this: "Couple people upstairs might not want me, but who cares?"**

Your mom. Zing!

Alex and Phil when they recently attended a swingers party.

WGN Radio is on the first floor. RedEye's on the fourth. I am unloved.

I said that when telling friends I was trying out for "Dancing with the Stars." And it was true!

Pretty much any dictator throughout history. Jerks.

**5 Why is Joe Montana unhappy with Notre Dame?**

Sour grapes.

This is a rhetorical question, right?

Because the Irish just unveiled a bronze statue of Joe Mantegna.

Because: a) Notre Dame stinks, b) Brian Kelly seems ornery, and c) His kid couldn't cut it there.

Because they haven't chosen me as the school's new mascot.

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As Theo Epstein unpacks, I thought I would help out with a to-do list.

Let's clarify. This is seismic. This is the stars, cosmos, constellations, galaxies and alternate universes lining up at once because the Cubs may have gotten this right. The best and the brightest, all lined up and ready to go here in Chicago.

To clarify: The best and the brightest are based on a book about really smart guys who got us into Vietnam and couldn't

figure out a way to win. Welcome to the jungle!

Epstein, Jed Hoyer and the other guy. They're all so young I hope their mommies can pick them up late at night, because this is a big job. Anyway, begin here:

1. You're firing Mike Quade and replacing him with Ryne Sandberg. It fits.
2. You're getting rid of Alfonso Soriano, but finding a sucker will be difficult.
3. You're getting rid of Carlos Zambrano. Listen, can't you offer him to Boston as compensation for you?
4. You're sending Crane Kenney out of town on assignment. A lot.
5. You're upgrading scouting, player development and fundamentals everywhere (I know you know).
6. Whatever the number of magical hot dog carts is with the grilled onions, you're doubling them. That one's just for me.

Put the word out. Things change (they take a lifetime, but they do).

Now, the Bears are off, so let's get you updated quickly on what else is going on.

Illinois, Northwestern and Notre Dame football absolutely stink.

I show the Illini a little love and they tumble. Northwestern, you were unworthy of my love to begin with. Notre Dame, well, now comes word Brian Kelly wants a Jumbotron.

I'm wondering if it's to show replays of awful Notre Dame football or replays of Kelly's face turning purple like that Barney fella. Either way, the big TV won't help with the mediocrity. Word is Kelly wants to liven things up. Winning might do that, too.

In other news, Patrick Kane wows with a new move. This should be his next move: cutting down on the nightlife and perfecting more moves.

See, with so much mediocrity to celebrate, we don't need the Bears! **BAG BOY IS A REDEYE SPECIAL CONTRIBUTOR.**

## “ MOUTHWATCH

I think it will happen. Jerry [Krause] has made a name for himself in basketball, and it will probably be there for a long time. He was executive of the year and so forth.”

—Former Bulls coach **Phil Jackson**, on whether ex-general manager Jerry Krause will eventually be inducted into the Basketball Hall of Fame. Krause famously took heat from his players for saying, “players and coaches alone don't win championships. Organizations win championships.”



## A stop for Shaq Diesel?

Shaquille O'Neal—a Bull? It never came close, the future NBA Hall of Famer said. But O'Neal (left), who played for six teams before announcing his retirement in June, said the Bulls did reach out to him not that long ago.

“They never really contacted me,” O'Neal told the Tribune's Luis Gomez on Wednesday before correcting himself. “They did a little bit last year, but it was too late.”

O'Neal—who was promoting his All Star Comedy Jam, set for Nov. 4 at the Horseshoe Casino—didn't specify why it was too late. It's too bad, really. Think of the shoulder-separating screens he could have set for Derrick Rose.



## Man of (hilarious) action

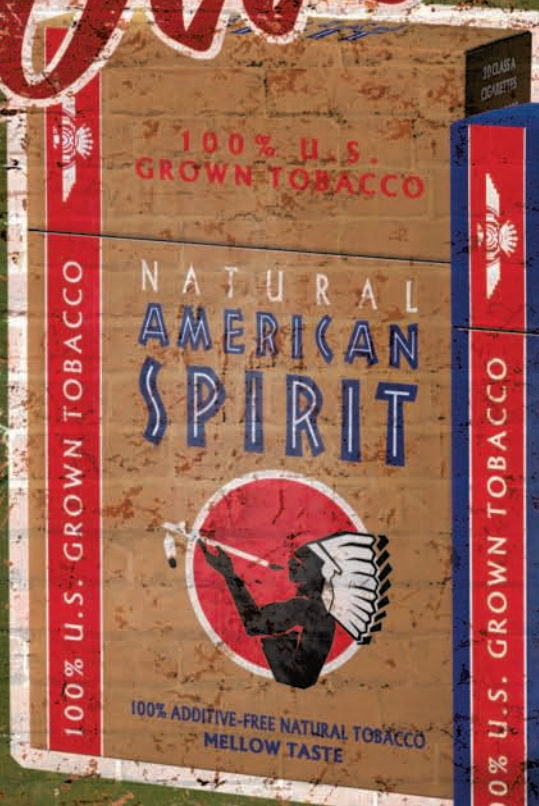
So THAT'S what All-Star closers do when their team doesn't make the playoffs. Giants pitcher Brian Wilson dons MC Hammer pants—yes, Hammer pants—for an ad supporting San Francisco Mayor Ed Lee in a new video on YouTube. Now, RedEye does not endorse political candidates, but seeing the bearded Giant in a “Too Legit to Quit” spoof gets high marks for entertainment value.



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# movies

What do Salma Hayek and Antonio Banderas think of when they hear Chicago?



Banderas: "Jazz. I think of theater. I think of architecture. I think of a lake that looks like an ocean."



## HERE KITTIES

MATT PAIS GETS CATTY WITH ANTONIO BANDERAS AND SALMA HAYEK

By Matt Pais

REDEYE

Casting sizzling stars Antonio Banderas and Salma Hayek to lend their voices to "Puss in Boots" feels comparable to broadcasting the "Miss Universe" pageant on the radio.

Of course, the accents of Spaniard Banderas and Mexican Hayek are plenty smoldering too. In the 3-D animated "Puss," opening Friday, Banderas voices the titular feline outlaw (originated in 17th century literature and seen recently in the "Shrek" franchise) and Hayek is Puss' colleague, Kitty Softpaws. The pair works with Humpty Dumpty (Zach Galifianakis) to steal golden eggs from a castle in the sky.

By the way, you're not alone if you found that last sentence ridiculous.

At the Four Seasons Hotel, Banderas, 51, and Hayek, 45, previously seen together in "Desperado," "Frida," "Once Upon a Time in Mexico" and "Spy Kids 3-D Game Over," talked about the perks of being a cat, their own levels of sexiness and the warning signs of a feline-driven apocalypse.

**How much research goes into playing cat thieves who are partners with an egg?**

**SH:** [Laughs.]

**AB:** Well after being for 10 years around this character, I did all the research that I needed for him. And it's just fun to play him. It's embarrassingly easy. I feel bad saying that [laughs], but it's true, and you feel very free.

**SH:** I did not research. I'm a bad actress. A bad egg. No research at all. Because I had already seen all the "Shrek" movies, and I loved them. I particularly loved Puss in Boots, so I already knew everything about that character, and [Banderas is] so good that it was so easy to play off of him.

**What would you think if all cats started walking around on their hind legs like Puss and Kitty?**

**AB:** I would think that 2012 thing was true.

**SH:** [Laughs.]

**AB:** Because probably that would be the end of the world. If cats start talking and walking with boots and a hat and a sword on the

street of the whole entire world, you just go and talk to your psychiatric—

**SH:** Yeah.

**AB:** And he's going to give you a big prescription. [Laughs.] And all the other ways that the world is finishing. [Laughs.]

**What makes you think they would attack? Maybe they'd be protecting us.**

**AB:** Yeah, but it would be pretty weird. It would be pretty weird. We have to accept that this is a reality that only happens in Hollywood, man. Come on!

**Our reader @circuitmom was wondering: Salma is always so calm. What gets her fired up/angry?**

**SH:** Ooh. [Laughs.] What gets me angry? Injustice gets me angry. Oh, injustice really gets me angry. That would be the biggest one.

**Antonio, what about you?**

**AB:** Did he also say that I am [calm]? Because I am very fiery.

**SH:** [Laughs.]

**So a lot of things get you fired up.**

**AB:** Many things. I have many things that make me angry, but I may not actually show it that way. I just try to make sense with it and then do whatever I can do in order to correct things that I see in my life, personal life and social life that I don't like. But try to do them from a calm point of view.

**SH:** I'll confess to you what makes me cranky. Hunger! If I don't eat, oh my God, I'm not as calm. I need to have my sugar levels [in place].

**How does that impact your behavior?**

**SH:** I can be calm as long as I have food inside of me. I get really anxious if I'm very hungry.

**In the movie, Puss says cat people are crazy. Why do cat people tend to be crazier than dog people?**

**SH:** I didn't say that, so I don't have to answer.

**AB:** Cat people are supposed to be crazier ... I have a mother-in-law [Tippi Hedren] who has 72 lions. For real. We live in a very feline family. We have four cats in Los Angeles and Melanie



Hayek: "Pizza. Popcorn. Oprah [Winfrey]. Architecture."



'Puss in Boots'  
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[Griffith] is a Leo, I am a Leo. And our son is a Leo. So we are surrounded by Leo and definitely, definitely it's true. We are nuts in my family. And I actually love it. Why is the reason? I'm not going to analyze ... I don't want to put a reason in the middle of that. Just be. I'm totally nuts. Otherwise I wouldn't be an actor.

**Salma, you have dogs and you've said that to love you is to love your dogs. What would they say if they knew you were voicing a cat?**

**SH:** I have a cat too. I have a little bit of everything.

**So it's all equal at your house.**

**SH:** Well, not equal. I do have 10 dogs, one cat. Four alpacas, four ducks, four parrots, two guinea pigs, five horses, 20 chickens. I got a lot of pets.

**AB:** And an ant.

**SH:** [Laughs.]

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How dare they delay the highly anticipated fifth "Shrek" movie!

If the spinoff "Puss in Boots" has anything going for it (besides avoiding pop culture references), it's that its mother franchise sunk to such half-assed depths with "Shrek Forever After" that "Puss" feels fresh simply by starting its own chapter. And that's about where the freshness ends. Does anyone ever feel like the majority of kids' movies just predictably revisit the same story blueprints as an excuse for youngsters to look at pretty pictures? This is "Kung Fu Panda" syndrome all over again, people.

In the busy, rarely clever "Puss," the titular cat outlaw (voiced by Antonio Banderas) teams up with his ex-best friend Humpty Dumpty (Zach Galifianakis) and a fetching new feline (Salma Hayek) to steal golden eggs (and their goose creator) from a castle in the sky. No complaints about the voices or the animation; 3-D actually counts for something in "Puss in Boots," and a few fantasy sequences really pop.

The opposite goes for the story. When you rewrite fairy tales and their familiar faces, the names of the characters barely matter. Do fans of the classic Jack and Jill story get a kick out of seeing them repurposed (and voiced by Billy Bob Thornton and Amy Sedaris) as evil, murderous thieves? Doubtful.

"Puss in Boots" labors to create an alternate history from childhood treasures; I'll keep mine the way I remember them, thanks.



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## Lost in 'Rum Diary's' world



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Decisions, decisions. Journalist Paul Kemp (Johnny Depp) could use his new job at the San Juan Star as a chance to find his voice and recapture his professional enthusiasm. Or he can ditch self-control, indulge drinking habits he describes as "at the upper end of social" and listen to the schmoozing of businessman Hal Sanderson (Aaron

Eckhart) merely to experience the visual delights of Hal's fiancée, Chenault (Amber Heard). That's pronounced like "Chanel," in case you were wondering.

### !!!! The Rum Diary (R)

**The buzz:** Paul's part-time lucidity gives the 1960-set film a forward-moving energy lacking in Depp's other Hunter S. Thompson adaptation, the freewheeling but slow "Fear and Loathing in Las Vegas." That said, "Diary" focuses on characters drifting from vice to purpose and back again, and the plot, accordingly, floats along with them. That means everything from a cock-fighting ring to a jeweled turtle, and I'm not trying to sound like Stefan on "SNL."

**The verdict:** Brimming with woozy, oddball danger, "The Rum Diary" shimmies with the language of a writer who could spin circles around himself and still invite everyone else to hop aboard. That's a credit to writer-director

Bruce Robinson (helming his first feature since 1992's "Jennifer Eight"), who embraces the dizzy absurdity of characters like Paul's outrageous, barely coherent colleague Moberg (Giovanni Ribisi). What occasionally feels aimless locks into place whenever Depp is forced to navigate a sticky situation, Eckhart flashes his greasy charms or Heard demonstrates effortless sexiness with sophisticated loneliness underneath. "The Rum Diary" is neither vacation nor bender; it's the enthralling blur of being lost somewhere in the middle.

**Did you know?** Upon arriving in Puerto Rico, Paul learns that he'll be reporting on bowling alleys and writing the horoscope page. What's wrong with making all horoscopes bowling-related and killing two birds with one stone?



### Anonymous (PG-13)

!!!! A fortnight is about how long it will take you to sort out the overstuffed historical conspiracy theory "Anonymous," an absurdly structured movie that could have benefited from an iron and a volume knob. It's a drama not for Shakespeare hounds but devoted fans of speeches and yelling, as there's barely a scene that goes by without a grand, dramatic declaration or some kind of over-acted shouting match! "Anonymous" is a thriller that jumps wildly between past and longer-ago past to claim that the Earl of Oxford (Rhys Ifans) actually wrote the plays of William Shakespeare (Rafe Spall), who was just a lying, horny actor. That's a big claim, but despite the continuous mentions about taking over Elizabeth's (Vanessa Redgrave) throne, "Anonymous" never convinces that any of this matters.

### Jamie and Jessie Are Not Together (not rated)

!!!! Some examples of what the (unfortunately Chicago-made) "Jamie and Jessie Are Not Together" considers clever: Calling Glenn Beck "Glenn Dreck;" Calling Home Depot "Homo Depot;" Saying, "Guess what? Chicken butt." This woefully stiff, awkward romantic drama gets off to a terrible start as shy, uptight Jessie (Jessica London-Shields) pines for her selfish, oblivious roommate, Jamie (Jacqui Jackson), who's about to move to New York. It occasionally becomes a jaw-droppingly bad musical. Writer-director Wendy Jo Carlton establishes childish conflicts but avoids proper resolution. The last thing I want to do is come down hard on a local production, but the punishment fits the crime.

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# Remarkably and fascinatingly creepy

FAST PAISED

**Matt Pairs**

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Talk about two very different lives. Now Martha's (Elizabeth Olsen) at a cozy Connecticut lake house with her sister Lucy (Sarah Paulson) and brother-in-law Ted

**Martha Marcy May Marlene**  
(R)



debut of writer-director Sean Durkin, was a big talker at Sundance, and it's easy to see why: Its unsettling portrait of a little-seen existence rivals "Winter's Bone."

**The verdict:** "Martha Marcy May Marlene" paints a disturbing psychological profile out of fractured, haunted memories and a broken-down person who changes into someone else and struggles to change back. A choppy structure perhaps obscures the notion that the present-day plot doesn't move very far, but that's also the past refusing to go away. The movie, and Martha's ever-present sense of menace, are transfixing in their state of shock. Olsen and Hawkes, who has a beautiful, terrifying musical performance, are especially chilling in a film packed with moments that can be described



'Martha Marcy May Marlene'

that way. It's debatable if Durkin's insight matches his sense of authenticity, but he squares in on the fragility of people and of society, where normalcy is open to interpretation.

**Did you know?** After climbing into the bed while Lucy and Ted are having sex, Martha defends her actions by claiming that it's a big bed, and they were on the other side. Lawyered!

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■ **Moneyball** (PG-13) 11:45, 3:15, 6:35, 9:40  
■ **50/50** (R) 10:40, 1:30, 4:20, 7:05, 9:50  
■ **The Ides of March** (R) 10:10, 12:40, 3:05, 5:30, 7:55, 10:20  
■ **Puss in Boots 3D** (PG) 10:15, 12:35, 2:55, 5:15, 7:35, 10:00  
■ **RA. One** (NR) 11:20, 6:10  
■ **RA. One 3D** (NR) 2:40, 9:25  
■ **Footloose** (PG-13) 11:10, 1:55, 4:40, 7:25, 10:10  
■ **Real Steel** (PG-13) 10:25, 1:20, 4:10, 7:00, 9:55  
■ **The Three Musketeers** (PG-13) 1:40, 7:15  
■ **The Three Musketeers 3D** (PG-13) 10:50, 4:30, 10:05

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■ **Martha Marcy May Marlene** (R) 1:30, 2:30, 4:00, 4:50, 6:50, 7:30, 9:20, 10:00  
■ **Oranges and Sunshine** (R) 2:00, 5:00, 7:35, 9:50  
■ **Take Shelter** (R) 1:45, 4:20, 7:00, 9:40  
■ **Margin Call** (R) 1:50, 4:40, 7:20, 9:45  
■ **The Skin I Live In** (R) 2:10, 4:45, 6:45, 7:40, 9:55  
■ **Midnight in Paris** (PG-13) 1:55, 4:10

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■ **Johnny English Reborn** (PG) 12:10, 2:50, 5:45, 8:20, 11:00  
■ **Drive** (R) 8:10, 10:45  
■ **The Lion King 3D** (G) 12:00 P.M.  
■ **Moneyball** (PG-13) 12:40, 3:50, 7:15, 10:20  
■ **Dolphin Tale** (PG) 11:45, 2:30, 5:15  
■ **50/50** (R) 10:50  
■ **Real Steel** (PG-13) 11:55, 3:10, 6:10, 9:10  
■ **In Time** (PG-13) 12:20, 1:45, 3:20, 4:30, 6:45, 7:45, 9:30, 10:40  
■ **Footloose** (PG-13) 1:20, 4:20, 7:10, 9:55  
■ **Paranormal Activity 3** (R) 2:40, 3:40, 5:00, 7:30, 8:45, 10:00, 11:10  
■ **The Three Musketeers** (PG-13) 4:10, 10:10  
■ **Tower Heist** (PG-13) Advance Tickets Available  
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■ **The Twilight Saga: Breaking Dawn Part 1** (PG-13) Advance Tickets Available  
■ **The Three Musketeers 3D** (PG-13) 12:50, 7:00  
■ **Paranormal Activity 2** (R) (Open captioned) 1:10, 6:20  
■ **Puss in Boots** (PG) 1:00, 3:40, 4:00, 6:00, 6:30, 8:30, 9:00  
■ **Puss in Boots 3D** (PG) 11:50, 2:15, 4:45, 7:20, 9:45  
■ **Paranormal Activity 3** (R) 8:00, 10:30  
■ **Puss in Boots 3D** (PG) 12:30, 3:00, 5:30

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■ **The Three Musketeers** (PG-13) ♦ 5:20, 7:40, 10:00  
■ **Puss in Boots** (PG) ♦ 5:15, 7:15, 9:15  
■ **The Ides of March** (R) 5:20, 7:30, 9:40  
■ **Moneyball** (PG-13) 5:00, 9:50  
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■ **Johnny English Reborn** (PG) 11:00, 1:35, 4:05, 6:30, 9:00  
■ **In Time** (PG-13) 11:05, 1:45, 4:20, 7:10, 9:55  
■ **Puss in Boots** (PG) 10:20, 12:35, 2:50, 5:05, 7:35, 9:50  
■ **The Lion King 3D** (G) 10:30, 12:50, 3:00, 5:10, 7:30, 9:40  
■ **Puss in Boots 3D** (PG) 11:20, 1:35, 3:50, 6:05, 8:35  
■ **RA. One** (NR) 11:45, 3:15, 7:00, 10:15  
■ **Footloose** (PG-13) 10:40, 1:20, 4:00, 7:05, 9:45  
■ **Real Steel** (PG-13) 10:55, 1:45, 4:35, 7:25, 10:20  
■ **The Rum Diary** (R) 10:45, 1:50, 4:40, 7:40, 10:35  
■ **The Three Musketeers** (PG-13) 10:35, 1:25, 4:20  
■ **The Three Musketeers 3D** (PG-13) 7:20, 10:10  
■ **The Thing** (R) 11:25, 1:55, 4:45, 7:45, 10:25  
■ **Dream House** (PG-13) 11:10, 1:40, 4:25, 7:15, 10:00

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■ **The Landlord** (PG) 6:00 P.M.  
■ **Jamie and Jessie Are Not Together** (NR) 6:15, 8:15  
■ **Who Can Kill a Child?** (R) 8:15 P.M.

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■ **Gainsbourg** (NR) 2:40, 4:30, 7:00, 9:30  
■ **The Mill and the Cross** (NR) 3:30, 5:30, 7:30  
■ **Zombie** (NR) 12:00 Midnight  
■ **The Rocky Horror Picture Show** (R) 12:00 Midnight

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■ **A Nightmare on Elm Street** (R) 10:00  
■ **The Thing** (R) 5:00, 7:30

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■ **Anonymous** (PG-13) 10:00, 12:55, 4:00, 7:05, 10:15  
■ **Paranormal Activity 3** (R) 10:55, 11:55, 1:15, 2:15, 3:45, 4:45, 6:15, 7:15, 8:40, 9:40, 11:00, 12:00  
■ **Moneyball** (PG-13) 10:15, 1:30, 4:40, 8:00, 11:10  
■ **Johnny English Reborn** (PG) 10:35, 1:05, 3:40, 6:20  
■ **In Time** (PG-13) 10:45, 11:45, 1:45, 2:45, 4:45, 5:45, 7:45, 8:45, 10:45, 11:45  
■ **AMC Independent Martha Marcy May Marlene** (R) 10:00, 11:00, 12:45, 1:45, 3:20, 4:20, 6:10, 7:10, 8:50, 9:50, 11:30  
■ **Puss in Boots** (PG) 10:30, 1:00, 3:30, 6:00, 8:30, 10:50  
■ **Drive** (R) 11:50, 2:30, 10:30  
■ **AMC Independent Margin Call** (R) 11:25, 2:15, 4:55, 7:40, 10:25  
■ **AMC Independent Oranges and Sunshine** (R) 11:35, 2:05, 4:55, 7:35, 10:10  
■ **50/50** (R) 2:35, 5:15, 7:50  
■ **The Ides of March** (R) 10:10, 12:50, 3:35, 6:25, 9:00, 11:40  
■ **AMC Independent Boy Wonder** (R) 5:00, 7:30, 10:00  
■ **Puss in Boots 3D** (PG) 11:30, 2:00, 4:30, 7:00, 9:30, 11:50  
■ **Killer Elite** (R) 12:00 A.M.  
■ **Footloose** (PG-13) 11:40, 2:25, 5:10, 7:55, 10:50  
■ **Real Steel** (PG-13) 11:20, 2:20, 5:20, 8:20, 11:20  
■ **The Rum Diary** (R) 11:15, 2:20, 5:20, 8:15, 11:20  
■ **The Three Musketeers** (PG-13) 10:25, 1:10, 3:50, 6:40, 9:20  
■ **The Three Musketeers 3D** (PG-13) 11:25, 2:10, 4:50, 7:40, 10:20  
■ **The Thing** (R) 8:55, 11:25

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■ **Anonymous** (PG-13) 10:00, 12:55, 3:55, 7:10, 10:25  
■ **Courageous** (PG-13) 10:00, 1:05, 4:05, 7:20, 10:35  
■ **Paranormal Activity 3** (R) 11:10, 1:45, 4:15, 6:45, 9:15, 11:45  
■ **Paranormal Activity 3** (R) 10:15, 12:35, 3:05, 5:35, 8:05, 10:40  
■ **Moneyball** (PG-13) 12:15, 3:30, 6:55, 10:15  
■ **Johnny English Reborn** (PG) 10:55, 1:45, 4:35, 7:15, 10:45  
■ **In Time** (PG-13) 11:30, 2:25, 5:30, 8:15, 11:10  
■ **In Time** (PG-13) 12:30, 4:40, 6:55, 9:45  
■ **Puss in Boots** (PG) 10:20, 1:00, 3:35, 6:10, 8:45, 11:20  
■ **50/50** (R) 10:50, 1:40, 4:35, 7:15, 10:00  
■ **Puss in Boots: An IMAX 3D Experience** (PG) 11:15, 1:50, 4:25, 7:00, 9:35  
■ **The Ides of March** (R) 10:25, 1:20, 3:50, 6:40, 9:25  
■ **Puss in Boots 3D** (PG) 12:10, 2:45, 5:20, 7:55, 10:30  
■ **Footloose** (PG-13) 11:40, 2:35, 5:40, 8:25, 11:25  
■ **Real Steel** (PG-13) 10:05, 1:15, 4:30, 7:15, 10:00  
■ **The Rum Diary** (R) 10:10, 1:10, 4:20, 7:30, 10:50  
■ **The Three Musketeers** (PG-13) 12:25, 3:25, 6:25, 9:30  
■ **The Three Musketeers 3D** (PG-13) 11:00, 1:55, 4:50, 7:45, 10:45  
■ **The Thing** (R) 11:30 P.M.

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■ **50/50** (R) 12:50, 3:30, 6:00, 8:20, 10:50  
■ **The Ides of March** (R) 12:20, 2:45, 5:10, 7:40, 10:10  
■ **In Time** (PG-13) 12:30, 3:00, 5:30, 8:00, 10:30  
■ **Anonymous** (PG-13) 1:30, 4:20, 7:10, 10:15  
■ **Footloose** (PG-13) 1:20, 4:10, 7:00, 9:50  
■ **Paranormal Activity 3** (R) 12:10, 1:00, 2:20, 3:10, 4:30, 5:20, 6:50, 7:45, 9:00, 10:00  
■ **The Three Musketeers** (PG-13) 5:15, 10:40  
■ **Tower Heist** (PG-13) Advance Tickets Available  
■ **The Twilight Saga: Breaking Dawn Part 1** (PG-13) Advance Tickets Available  
■ **The Three Musketeers 3D** (PG-13) 2:00, 7:50  
■ **The Rum Diary** (R) 1:10, 4:00, 6:45, 9:30  
■ **Puss in Boots** (PG) 12:40, 3:20, 5:50, 8:10, 10:30  
■ **Puss in Boots 3D** (PG) 12:00, 2:30, 5:00, 7:20, 9:40

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■ **Abduction** (PG-13) 10:50, 1:35, 4:05, 6:35, 9:05, 11:35  
■ **Paranormal Activity 3** (R) 10:10, 11:00, 12:10, 1:10, 2:20, 3:20, 4:30, 5:30, 6:45, 7:45, 9:00, 9:55, 11:15, 12:05  
■ **In Time** (PG-13) 11:10, 1:45, 4:20, 7:00, 9:35, 12:10  
■ **Puss in Boots** (PG) 11:15, 1:30, 4:00, 6:15, 8:30, 10:45  
■ **The Lion King 3D** (G) 10:45, 1:15, 3:30, 5:45, 8:00, 10:20  
■ **Puss in Boots 3D** (PG) 10:30, 12:45, 3:00, 5:15, 7:30, 9:45  
■ **Over and Over Again** (NR) 10:05, 12:25, 2:50, 5:20, 7:50, 10:15  
■ **Footloose** (PG-13) 11:20, 2:00, 4:40, 7:20, 10:05  
■ **Real Steel** (PG-13) 11:55, 3:10, 6:20, 9:10, 12:00  
■ **The Rum Diary** (R) 10:35, 1:20, 4:10, 7:10, 10:00  
■ **The Three Musketeers** (PG-13) 1:55, 7:15  
■ **The Three Musketeers 3D** (PG-13) 11:05, 4:35, 9:50  
■ **The Thing** (R) 11:00, 1:40, 4:15, 6:50, 9:20, 11:45  
■ **Dream House** (PG-13) 11:50, 2:25, 5:00, 7:35, 10:10

**SHOWPLACE CICERO 14 (AMC)**  
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■ **Dolphin Tale** (PG) 11:05 A.M.  
■ **Paranormal Activity 3** (R) 10:05, 11:15, 12:15, 1:30, 2:30, 3:50, 4:45, 6:10, 7:15, 8:30, 9:25, 10:45, 11:40  
■ **Johnny English Reborn** (PG) 11:00, 1:35, 4:00, 6:25, 9:00, 11:25  
■ **In Time** (PG-13) 10:20, 1:10, 3:55, 6:30, 9:10, 11:35  
■ **Puss in Boots** (PG) 11:30, 2:00, 4:30, 7:00, 9:30, 11:45  
■ **Puss in Boots** (PG) 10:45, 1:15, 3:45, 6:15, 8:45, 11:15  
■ **The Lion King 3D** (G) 10:35, 12:50, 3:05, 5:15, 7:30, 9:45  
■ **Puss in Boots 3D** (PG) 10:00, 12:30, 3:00, 5:30, 8:00, 10:30  
■ **Footloose** (PG-13) 10:10, 12:40, 3:10, 5:40, 8:15, 10:45  
■ **Real Steel** (PG-13) 10:30, 1:40, 4:15, 7:20, 10:20  
■ **The Rum Diary** (R) 10:00, 12:45, 3:30, 6:00, 8:50, 11:30  
■ **The Three Musketeers** (PG-13) 10:15, 3:35, 8:40  
■ **The Three Musketeers 3D** (PG-13) 1:00, 6:05, 11:20  
■ **The Thing** (R) 9:40 P.M.  
■ **Dream House** (PG-13) 11:45, 2:20, 5:00, 7:45, 10:25

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■ **Puss in Boots 3D** (PG) ♦ 10:10, 11:10, 12:30, 1:40, 2:10, 2:50, 4:10, 5:20, 6:40, 7:10, 7:40, 9:45  
■ **Footloose** (PG-13) 11:20, 2:30, 5:10, 8:00, 10:40  
■ **Puss in Boots** (PG) ♦ 10:10, 1:30, 4:40, 7:45, 10:45  
■ **Real Steel** (PG-13) 10:20, 1:30, 4:40, 7:45, 10:45  
■ **The Three Musketeers** (PG-13) ♦ 10:15 A.M.  
■ **The Thing** (R) 9:00 P.M.  
■ **Anonymous** (PG-13) ♦ 10:50, 1:50, 4:50, 7:50, 10:50  
■ **Paranormal Activity 3** (R) ♦ 10:00 P.M.  
■ **Paranormal Activity 3** (R) ♦ 10:30, 11:30, 1:00, 2:20, 3:30, 4:45, 6:10, 7:00, 8:30, 9:10, 11:30  
■ **Moneyball** (PG-13) 11:50, 3:10, 6:30, 9:50  
■ **Johnny English Reborn** (PG) ♦ 10:00, 12:50, 3:45, 6:20  
■ **In Time** (PG-13) ♦ 10:40, 12:10, 1:45, 3:20, 4:30, 6:00, 7:20, 8:40, 10:15, 11:20  
■ **50/50** (R) 11:45, 2:40, 5:15, 8:10, 11:10  
■ **The Ides of March** (R) 11:00, 2:00, 5:00, 7:30, 10:10  
■ **The Rum Diary** (R) ♦ 10:05, 1:10, 4:15, 7:15, 10:20

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■ **Paranormal Activity 3** (R) ♦ VIP Premium 21+ 10:00 P.M.  
■ **In Time** (PG-13) ♦ VIP Premium 21+ 12:10, 3:20, 6:00, 8:40, 11:20

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■ **Anonymous** (PG-13) ♦ 1:00, 4:15, 7:00, 9:45  
■ **Paranormal Activity 3** (R) ♦ 12:00, 2:00, 4:00, 6:00, 8:00, 10:00  
■ **In Time** (PG-13) ♦ 12:00, 2:25, 4:50, 7:15, 9:40  
■ **Puss in Boots** (PG) ♦ 4:20, 8:40  
■ **The Ides of March** (R) 12:00, 2:20, 4:40, 7:00, 9:20  
■ **Puss in Boots 3D** (PG) ♦ 12:00, 2:10, 6:30  
■ **The Invisible Ray** (NR) ♦ 12:00  
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■ **Fireflies in the Garden** (R) 12:50 P.M.  
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■ **In Time** (PG-13) ♦ 11:30, 2:10, 4:50, 7:30, 10:15  
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■ **The Skin I Live In** (R) 1:45, 4:30, 7:15, 10:00, 12:01  
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# It's not only a movie

Crimes inspire locally set films, some ghostly, some ghastly

## Chicago Tribune

It's no surprise that the Chicago area, which has had its share of violent crime, natural disasters and some pretty scary characters over the course of its history, has often been dubbed one of the most haunted places in America. Hollywood has taken note. For Halloween, we offer a random list of movies that have sprung from the Chicago area's infamous past.

### The Devil in the White City

2013?

**1** Leonardo DiCaprio has been announced to play infamous serial killer H.H. Holmes, who confessed to killing 27 people (but may have done in as many as 200), most of them young, single women and most within the confines of his block-long, three-story hotel that came to be known as the "Murder Castle." (The site of the Murder Castle, at 611 W. 63rd St. in Englewood, now is a post office.)

### Munger Road

2011

**2** Growing up, Columbia College film graduate Nick Smith was so inspired by the urban myth surrounding this eerie stretch of west suburban road that he made it the focus of his writing-directing debut, an atmospheric fright feature shot on the actual locations and set on the eve of St. Charles' renowned Scarecrow Festival. (Munger Road is a stretch between Bartlett and Stearns Roads, Bartlett.)

### Resurrection Mary

2007

### Resurrection Mary: Dance with the Devil

2005

**3** Two low-budget indies centered on Chicago's most famous ghost. Since her first appearance along Archer Avenue in the 1930s, the woman wearing a white party dress hitchhikes, then asks to be left off near Resurrection Cemetery. (7201 Archer Ave., Justice.)

### Gacy To Catch a Killer

2003

1992

**4** Just two of the films devoted to infamous serial killer John Wayne Gacy, who was

convicted of the murders of 33 boys and men, 26 of whom he buried in the crawl space of his Norwood Park Township home. (Gacy's home at 8213 W. Summerdale Ave. has been razed and a new home, with a different address, has been built on the lot.)

### Dahmer

2002

**5** Jeremy Renner starred as Jeffrey Dahmer, who lived in an apartment complex in Milwaukee where he killed most of his 17 victims and stored parts of their bodies (three of the victims were from Chicago). (The Oxford Apartment complex at 924 N. 25th St., Milwaukee, where Dahmer lived in Apartment 213, was demolished and now is a fenced-in vacant lot.)

### Swoon

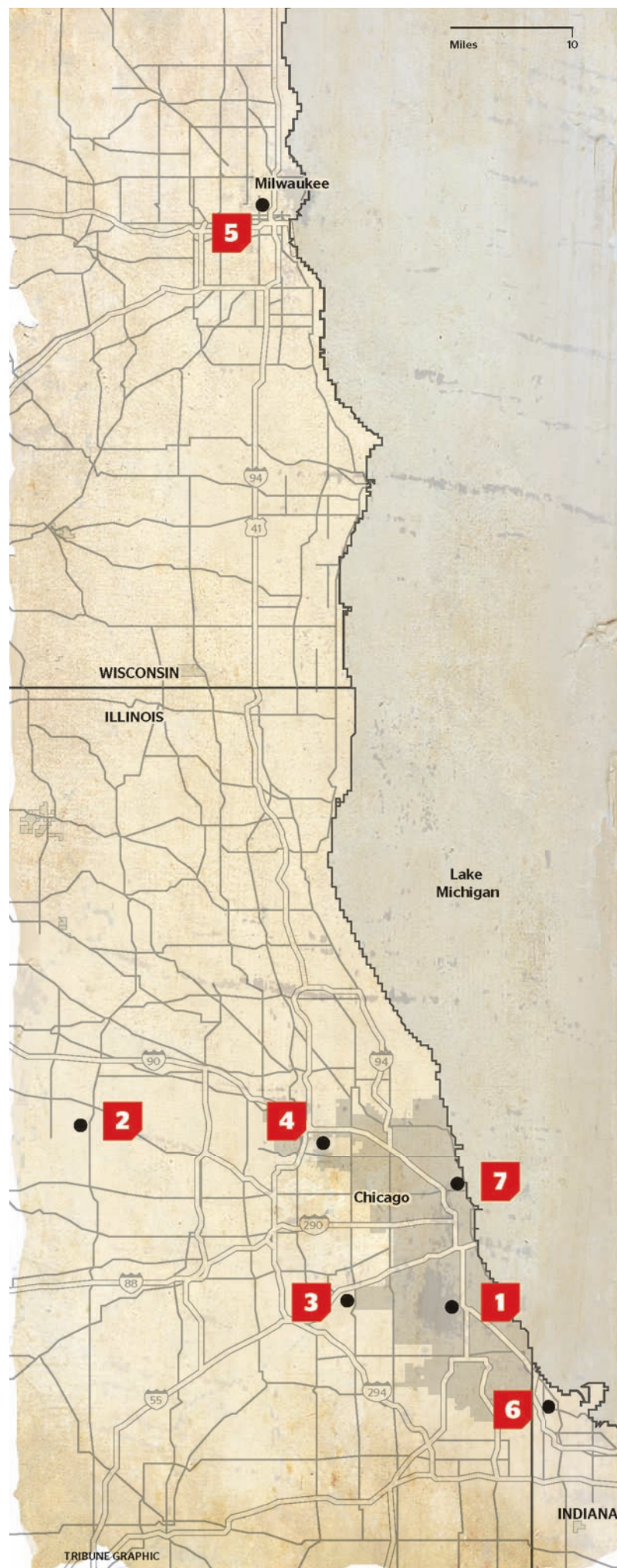
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**6** Two well-to-do law students from Chicago with superior intelligence, lovers Nathan Leopold (Craig Chester) and Richard Loeb (Daniel Schlacht) murdered 14-year old Bobby Franks in an attempt to commit what they deemed "the perfect crime" in 1924. After getting life sentences, Loeb was murdered in prison in 1936 and Leopold died of a heart attack in 1971. (Franks was killed in a remote area near Wolf Lake in Hammond, Ind.)

### St. Valentine's Day Massacre

1967

**7** The war between Chicago mob boss Al Capone (Jason Robards) and nemesis Bugs Moran reached its climax Feb. 14, 1929, when seven of Moran's henchmen were gunned down at the SMC Cartage Company on Clark Street. (The site of the crime, 2122 N. Clark St., later was demolished and is now a parking lot for a nursing home.)



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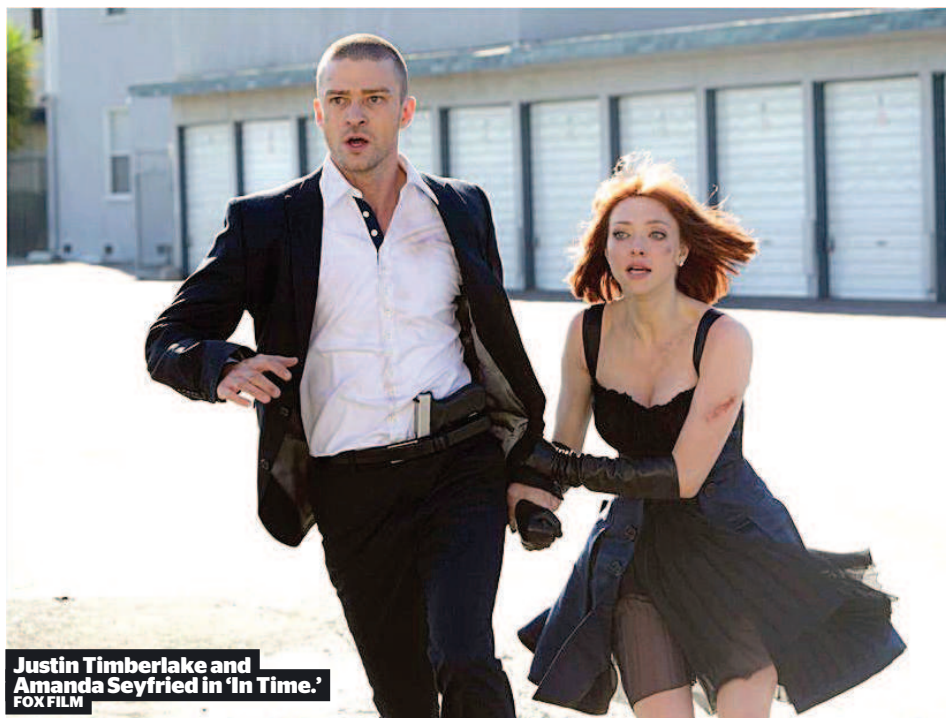
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Justin Timberlake and Amanda Seyfried in 'In Time.'  
FOX FILM

## Time out for this silly anti-upper class sci-fi

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Good news, weirdos: In the near-futuristic dystopia of "In Time," you can finally fulfill your dream of having a wife, a mother-in-law and a daughter who all look equally

young and gorgeous. In this world, no one can physically age past 25, and you're given only one year to live after that. It's up to you to earn more time, which passes as currency in these parts. That will be four minutes for a cup of coffee, sir, and 59 years for the car of your dreams. Plus tax.

Will (Justin Timberlake) has lived day-to-day since he turned 25 three years ago, but shortly after a 105-year-old man (Matt Bomer) who's had enough living gives all his time to Will, Will's 50-year-old mom (that old, wrinkly hag Olivia Wilde) runs out of time before her son can share any of his.

Soon a cop/timekeeper (Cillian Murphy) hunts Will as a murder suspect, and a gangster/minuteman (Alex Pettyfer) hunts anyone with time to steal. Will kidnaps a wealthy businessman's daughter (Amanda Seyfried) and ultimately sees himself as a sort of Robin Hood, if Robin Hood intended to break down class-separating "Time Zones" and distribute free time as housed in cases that kinda look like passport stamps got it on with 8-tracks.

Echoing "Children of Men," "The Adjustment Bureau" and his own "Gattaca" (just to name a few), writer-director Andrew Niccol loves this sort of society-bent-by-a-few-degrees parable. But the ways "In Time" works as an allegory for the selfishness of the rich and the urgent chaos of the poor fail on screen. It stands to reason that a society genetically engineering its citizens to stop aging could engineer its people to turn off the freaking neon green light on their arm that displays their remaining time.

The process by which people give/take/steal time often involves merely touching arms and thinking about how much time will be transferred, which is about as precise as the mind-driven arm wrestling matches in which people confusingly fight each other for their time.

Surely there is a lot to say about how people's lives would change if they literally worked for their survival, but Niccol's idea bests his execution. (Timberlake's lead performance likewise is inconsistent.) Let's absolutely explore a society where people's humanity is tested by a constant reminder of their own dwindling mortality.

But let's not do it with an overstuffed story about a world in which everyone, essentially, walks around with their bank accounts and oxygen supplies in their pockets.

In Time  
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Owen Benjamin in 'All's Faire in Love'  
PATRIOT PICTURES

# Part 'Role Models,' part 'Adventureland,' but all excruciating

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If you don't like the word "penis" but crack up at the use of "wang," "ding dong," "wenis" and "wiener," this is your movie.

In "All's Faire in Love," Owen

Benjamin's performance suggests director/co-writer Scott Marshall told him, "Give me Ryan Reynolds' arrogance without any of the charisma or energy." Despite being close to 30 when the movie was filmed in 2008, Benjamin plays Will, a college quarterback whose renaissance literature professor (Cedric the Entertainer, I kid you not) will only excuse Will's absences if the cocky jerk lives and works at a Renaissance Faire for three weeks.

There Will meets Kate (Christina Ricci of "Pan Am" and "Absolutely Anything that offers her a role"), who has chosen an "acting" gig at the Faire over a high-paying office job that offends her. Forced to be the faire's Fetchboy and Fetchgirl, Will and Kate really hit it off, by which I mean they lack any type of chemistry and look very uncomfortable together for reasons other than their roughly six-foot height difference. (Somehow this translated to off-screen sparks, as Benjamin and Ricci got engaged in March 2009 and reportedly

**All's Faire in Love**  
(PG-13)



called it off less than three months later.)

Other characters include the faire's queen (Ann-Margret, whose name is misspelled in press materials), a jester with a hand puppet named Horny the Unicorn (Dave Sheridan), a witch (Nadine Velasquez of "The League") who really says "Let's rock" when holding up a rock and a hapless employee played by Matthew Lillard, whose credibility-restoring work in the upcoming "The Descendants" likely won't overcome the scene in "Faire" when a goat pees in his face.

For some reason all faire workers compete in a grand finale talent show that determines their job for next summer, as if everyone definitely will return to work there. It makes as much sense as the gang's reluctance to sleep with the beautiful "princess" (ex-Playboy model Sandra Taylor) and a roughly 15-second sequence that includes the unlocking of a chastity belt, a marriage proposal and the marriage ceremony itself.

Those who survive the film's 97-minute/3,000-year running time deserve a Nobel Prize for Endurance. If they don't give those, now's the time to start.

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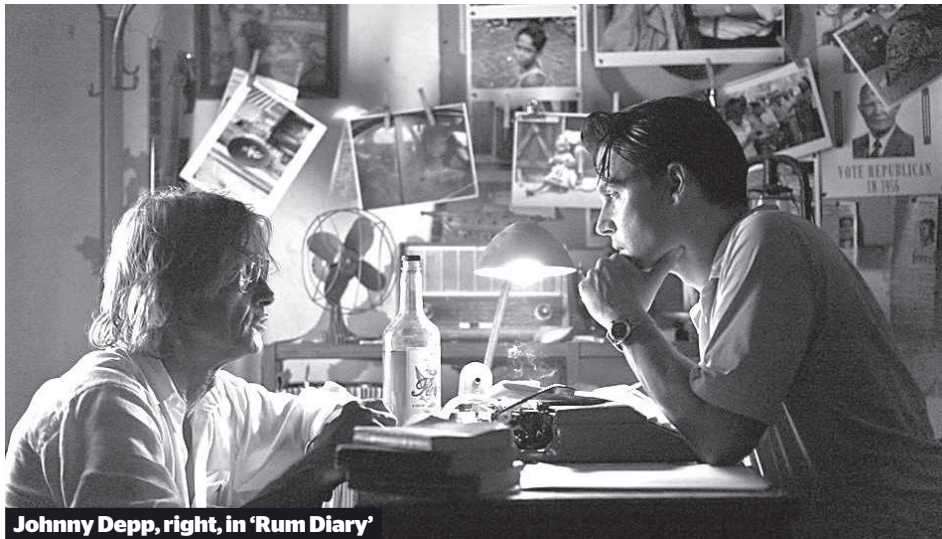
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Johnny Depp, right, in 'Rum Diary'

## Depp seeks 'closure' with an old friend

### The Orlando Sentinel

Like everyone who knew him, Johnny Depp collected Hunter S. Thompson stories.

The first one is how the already-famous actor first met his fellow Kentuckian, the notorious hell-raiser, gadfly and popular author of "Fear and Loathing in Las Vegas," in the Woody Creek Tavern near Thompson's adopted hometown of Aspen, Colo., in December 1994. "I was sitting in the back of the place, and I saw the door burst open. I saw sparks! Literally!" Depp recalls. "Then I saw people leaping left and right, getting out of the way. He 'parted the sea' with a three-foot cattle prod in his left hand and some sort of Taser in his right!"

Depp laughs. "That was the beginning of the romance."

Depp's tales of Thompson include the occasional near-death experience—usually involving firearms or explosives—all the way through to the funeral Depp ensured Thompson got after his death in 2005. "At a cost of \$2.5 million, Depp gave Hunter the send-off he wanted," Thompson biographer William McKeen wrote of that final blast: Thompson's ashes, blown up in a shower of fireworks.

"Hunter was never the guy who was going to slump down in his soup," Depp says of his friend, who committed suicide with a pistol at 67 as his body began to break down. "That wasn't going to happen. He was going to make [bleep] sure of that."

But even after having played a version of Thompson on screen in 1998's "Fear and Loathing in Las Vegas," and even after the funeral, Depp says he felt a need "for closure." So now he's starring in "The Rum Diary," based on Thompson's novel. The movie, in-



Hunter Thompson, left, and Johnny Depp at the premier of "Fear and Loathing in Las Vegas," on May 19, 1998. AP FILE PHOTO

spired by Thompson's early stint as a brilliant but boozy journalist in San Juan, Puerto Rico, opens Friday.

Thompson "was already a hell-raiser" when he arrived in Puerto Rico in the early 1960s, Depp says. "In his youth, he was ... a bit of a juvenile delinquent."

"Puerto Rico was maybe the catalyst that melded that man who despised authority into this chivalrous journalist. He began to acquire the voice we would get to know later, the voice of a man who would not stand for injustice, would not stand for ignorance, especially in the upper echelons of society. I think Puerto Rico was Hunter finding Hunter."

"Rum Diary" surrounds the journalist, a version of Thompson, with bizarrely colorful characters.

"I promise you, NONE of these people were made up," Depp says with a chuckle. "The scariest things are the details he left out about them. That's what's most frightening, because the guy attracted people like that."

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## Zombie Apocalypse

8 p.m. Saturday, Syfy

Syfy rips off another pop culture darling—AMC's *"The Walking Dead"*—with this laughable B-movie. Actually, Z-movie makes more sense; it's that bad. Ving Rhames stars as the muscle for a group of survivors trying to get to Catalina Island, the last holdout of humans in a zombie-filled wasteland. And yes, a zombified wild cat attacks (above).

## Allen Gregory

7:30 p.m. Sunday, Fox

Jonah Hill's animated sitcom about pretentious rich kid Allen Gregory (voice by Hill) is nails on a chalkboard. Yes, the sushi-eating, pinot-drinking Allen, who is forced to attend public school, is supposed to be unsufferable, but to comic effect. He's just annoying.



# 'GRIMM' & LOVING IT



SHOW PATROL

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## Grimm

7 p.m. Friday, NBC



Fairy tales are hot this season, evidenced by the launch of NBC's *"Grimm"* just a few days after ABC's *"Once Upon A Time"* premiered.

Both shows would have you believe that children's fairy tales are not fantasies, but where *"Once"* offers up a slightly twisted Disney take on those stories, *"Grimm"* grinds them into a grisly police procedural.

It's dark, disturbing and a little bit downbeat—which isn't a dis at all.

David Giuntoli stars as Oregon homicide Det. Nick Burkhardt, who begins to see frightening freaks all around him. A woman he passes on the street morphs into a witch for just a second; the face of a man being questioned in the squad room flashes into a demon's head.

At least I think that was a demon.

Burkhardt fears he's going batty until his aging aunt visits and lets him in on a family secret: He's descended from the Grimms, a line of second-sighted slayers who long have battled werewolves, ghouls, monstrous bears

and other creatures from such tales as *"Little Red Riding Hood"* and *"Goldilocks."*

The supernaturals, it turns out, are sick of it and are coming for Burkhardt and his aunt. They've formed a lovely little cabal called the *"Reapers of the Grimms."*

A little *"Buffy the Vampire Slayer"*-sounding fun, right?

Burkhardt doesn't have Buffy's snark, but Giuntoli definitely has his own charms. He's romantic with Bitsie Tulloch, who plays his wife, Juliette, and offers some rapid-fire quipping with Russell Hornsby, playing Burkhardt's partner, Hank. The always fascinating Sasha Roiz stars as Burkhardt's shady boss. Not surprisingly, *"Grimm"* comes alive when Burkhardt teams up with a reformed werewolf named Monroe (Silas Weir Mitchell, the best thing about the pilot).

NBC only sent out one episode, so I offer this review worried that three episodes in, *"Grimm"* will lose its newness. Creators David Greenwalt and Jim Kouf will need to keep the crimes clever and the characters compelling to make *"Grimm"* rise above any other police procedural.

## SPOOFY HALLOWEEN

*"The Simpsons"* delivers freaky parodies in *"Treehouse of Horror."* The 22nd annual event airs at 7 p.m. Sunday on Fox. Here's what they are spoofing and my grade for each.



## The Diving Bell and the Butterball

*The Diving Bell and Butterfly*



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## In the Na'Vi

*Avatar*

\*Also, watch for a little send-up of *"127 Hours"* with Aron Ralston in the opening minutes.





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# NEW ON DVD

## Captain America: The First Avenger



Chris Evans steps into the boots of the latest comic-book-inspired film champion, playing Steve Rogers, a 90-pound weakling who, through the magic of science, becomes the hunky Captain America. The film isn't a major disaster, but it generally could use some work. Director Joe Johnston's uneven direction, combined with some iffy special effects, has the film spinning from heroic to horrific. There are moments of focus when the film is a battle royale, but it's not sustained, leaving this latest comic book effort a candidate for a dishonorable discharge. **Extras:** The Blu-ray bonus package includes Johnston's commentary, the short "Marvel One-Shot: A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to Thor's Hammer," several background and making-of featurettes, a profile of Red Skull and deleted scenes, among others. **RICK BENTLEY, THE FRESNO BEE**



## Attack the Block



Director Joe Cornish offers a fresh look at the aliens-vs.-humans genre with this tale of what happens when a housing complex becomes the subject of an attack. Instead of the military, it's a gang of South London teens who have to save the day. Cornish does a marvelous job of building tension, like a '50s sci-fi film, while creating some very interesting characters. The story is presented with just the right dash of humor to keep it from becoming too dark. The biggest hurdle: The accents of the actors, which are so thick that there was some consideration given to subtitles. Don't worry. It's not what they say, but what they do that makes this film fun.

**Extras:** "Creature Feature" segment, filmmaker and cast commentaries, featurettes  
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## Tinker, Tailor, Soldier, Spy



This excellent British miniseries, an adaptation of the John le Carre novel, features a brilliant portrayal of retired spy George Smiley by Alec Guinness, whom many may remember as Obi-wan Kenobi in the original "Star Wars." Smiley is forced to confront his Cold War demons when he is summoned back into action to find a mole in the British spy agency called the Circus. You won't find a lot of heart-stopping action sequences here, but you will be on the edge of your seat as the double-crosses begin to pile up. It's completely engrossing.

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**The People vs. George Lucas**  
Documentary that looks at the mixed feelings of "Star Wars" fans.

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**Winnie the Pooh**  
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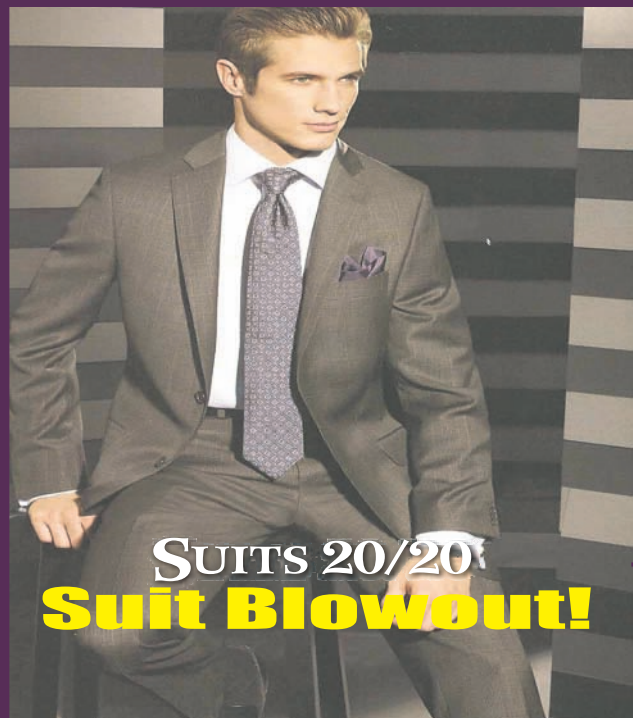
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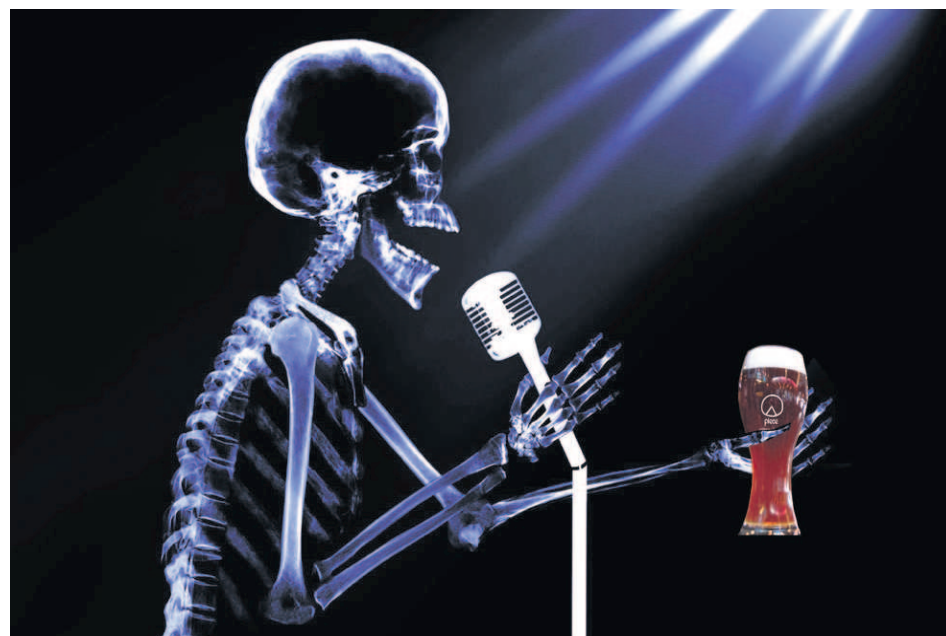
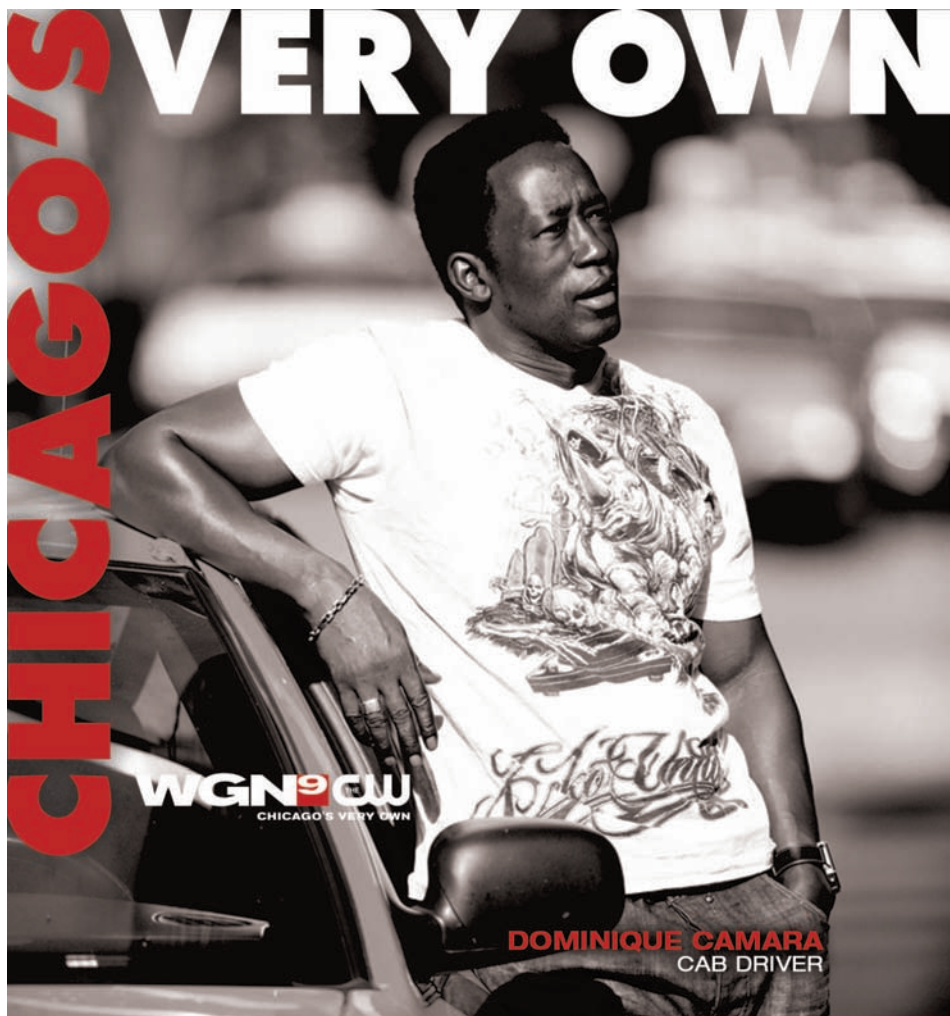
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# Jobs bio selling fast

## Reuters

The biography of late Apple co-founder Steve Jobs hit bookstores Monday, and reviewers wasted little time in heaping praise on the much-anticipated book destined for the bestseller list.

The New York Times called Walter Isaacson's "Steve Jobs," which Simon & Schuster published earlier than planned following Jobs' death from pancreatic cancer Oct. 5, clear and concise, saying it "does its solid best to hit" its target.

"Here is an encyclopedic survey of all that Mr. Jobs accomplished, replete with the passion and excitement that it deserves," wrote New York Times reviewer Janet Maslin.

Isaacson, the onetime editor of Time magazine and author of biographies on Albert Einstein and Benjamin Franklin, "has given us a nuanced portrait of the brilliant, mercurial, complicated genius," Entertainment Weekly's Tina Jordan said of what she called the "oc-

## DIGITAL SALES SOAR

Though official book sales figures will not be released for more than a week, "Steve Jobs" hit No. 1 earlier this week on the Kindle bestseller list, the Nook bestseller list and the Apple iBookstore chart. The print version is No. 1 on [amazon.com](http://amazon.com). Industry analysts expect it to stay there for some time, and Amazon spokeswoman Brittany Turner told Reuters it could be the top-selling book of the year. [THEWRAP.COM](http://THEWRAP.COM)

asionally workmanlike ... thoughtful, broadly sourced" book.

"Isaacson has taken the complete measure of the man. This is a biography as big as Steve Jobs," Jordan concluded.

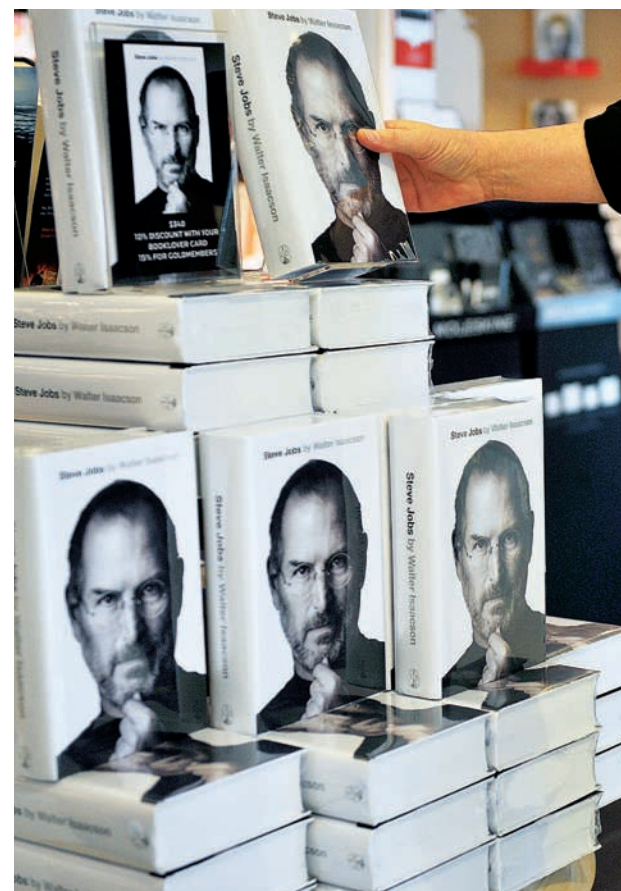
The Washington Post lauded the book for its scope—"on the one hand a history of the most exciting time in the age of computers" and "a textbook study of the rise and fall and rise of Apple," as well as "a gadget-lover's dream."

"But more than anything," the Post's Michael Rosenwald wrote, "Isaacson has crafted a biography of a complicated, peculiar personality" that succeeded in showing how Job's character shaped great technological

innovations.

Like others, the Huffington Post's Barbara Ortutay gave Isaacson's book credit for taking off "the rose-colored glasses that often follow an icon's untimely death," calling the book "a rich portrait"—if one that could have used "another round of editing" in the rush to publish. Still, she wrote, "Steve Jobs' is must-read history."

At ABC News, former Clinton White House staffer George Stephanopoulos praised Isaacson for having "pulled no punches in this book," such as characterizing Jobs as sometimes being very tough, even mean. "This is a fascinating character study," Stephanopoulos said.



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## PLENTY OF NEW RESTAURANTS ARE ON THE WAY

By Lisa Arnett  
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This month's restaurant forecast has plenty to warm up with: Think Italian, Latin and lots and lots of burgers.

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**Garlic Shrimp at Vera**  
LENNY GILMORE PHOTOS/REDEYE

### Vera

1023 W. Lake  
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The husband and wife team of former Carnivale chef Mark Mendez and sommelier Elizabeth Mendez have been talking about opening their own place for a while, and this Spanish-inspired West Loop wine bar and eatery is their joint creation. With sea urchin butter-slathered bread, paella with rabbit and duck chorizo (above) and a cheese list split between Spain and Wisconsin, the menu is just off-beat enough to keep things interesting.



### Del Toro

2133 S. Halsted St. 312-733-7144

This Pilsen restaurant and tequila bar's name means "of the bull" in Spanish, and you can start your meal with spicy salsa ranging from one horn (hot) to three horns (hottest). Guacamole comes blended with jicama and pineapple, creme brulee is flavored with guava and jalapeno, and house specialties include the taco de lechon made with slow-roasted pork shoulder. As for the tequila, there are plenty of premium options for sipping, plus signature margaritas (from hibiscus to cucumber) for cocktails.

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The latest ETAs on coming-soon spots

#### NOV. 2

### Storefront Company

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#### EARLY NOVEMBER

### Pizza Persona

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#### MID- TO LATE NOVEMBER

### Slurping Turtle

Takashi Yagihashi's Japanese tapas and noodle bar in River North

### Urban Union

Euro-inspired Taylor Street spot from former Epic and Nine chef Michael Shrader

### BLT American Brasserie

Casual American fare in River North from Laurent Tourondel

### La Parilla

South American steakhouse on the far Northwest Side



**Ripasso**

1619 N. Damen Ave. 773-342-8799

This Bucktown restaurant from former Terragusto chef/owner Theo Gilbert just opened Wednesday in the former Caoba space. An all-Italian wine list plays nice with freshly made pasta dishes such as squash-filled cappellacci and meaty entrees big enough for two.

**FYI**

Les Nomades chef Chris Nugent is planning to open Goosefoot, his own restaurant in Lincoln Square.

**Filini**

221 N. Columbus Drive. 312-477-0234

Chef Christian Fantoni (Bice) channels his love for dining in Italy at this restaurant, due to open Tuesday inside the Radisson Blu Aqua hotel. A weekday lunch special will get you in and out in 45 minutes or less; for more leisurely lounging, graze all night off a bar menu of stuzzichini ("little bites" in Italian, such as olive and anchovy bruschetta or roasted beets with ricotta) and coal-fired pizza.

**Three Forks**

333 E. Benton Place. 312-938-4303

This steak and seafood spot is hidden away in the new Lakeshore East complex just north of Millennium Park. Though the menu doesn't offer too many surprises (bacon-wrapped scallops, wedge salad, tons of prime beef), the heated rooftop lounge could be your last opportunity for an outdoor dining fix this season. Barring rain or high winds, it'll be open on Halloween.

**Melt Sandwich Shoppe**

1840 N. Damen Ave. 773-292-6358

If the thought of a classic grilled cheese doesn't take you back to your school days, the cafeteria-esque chairs and "word of the day" chalkboard feature at this Bucktown soup-and-sandwich cafe definitely will. It comes to the neighborhood courtesy of Dion Antic, known in these parts for decidedly more adult ventures such as late-night hangout Iggy's.

**THE BURGER BUNCH!**

New burger spots are busting out all over.

» At Lincoln Park's **Butcher & The Burger** (1021 W. Armitage Ave. 773-697-3735), you can design your own burger with a choice of bun, patty, spice blend and indulgent toppings such as black truffle aioli and sauteed foie gras.

» In River North, **Burger Joint** (675 N. Franklin St. 312-440-8600) opened Thursday with a menu of hefty snacks including a double cheeseburger, spicy feta-topped fries and milkshakes.

» In the South Loop, similarly named eatery **The Burger Point** (1900 S. State St. 312-842-1900) is due to open its doors by the weekend.

» The owners of Veerasway have replaced the shuttered Indian restaurant with **Grange Hall Burger Bar** (844 W. Randolph St. 312-491-0844), their version of a farm-to-table burger eatery, and are taking reservations for Tuesday and beyond.

**LATE NOVEMBER****La Tacorea**

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## Black Pudding at Blokes & Birds

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The English take on blood sausage relies on rusk, a crumbled biscuit filler that's mixed with pork into casing. At Lakeview's Blokes & Birds, the black pudding is a milder, unspiced version of Cajun boudin noir—like biting into sausage stuffed with rice—only here, it's accompanied by cinnamon-dusted apple slices that act as a sweet counterpoint. Optional addition: a fried duck egg for \$3. \$6.

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### Czernina at Kasia's

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In Poland, they called it czernina. When it first appeared on the menu at Kasia's in Ukrainian Village, it carried its English translation—duck blood soup. It's still on the menu, nearly three

decades later, and Bober, who still runs the place, uses beef blood these days. "The inspectors don't let us use duck," she said. Czernina is incredibly ugly to look at, and incredibly sweet and tasty. It contains thick, ropey noodles, prunes, raisins, apples and a broth that is part chicken juice, part boiled fruit. And yes, blood. \$2.99.



### Morcilla at Folklore

2100 W. Division St., 773-292-1600

The Argentinian morcilla isn't so much blood sausage in the sausage sense as spreadable meat crumbles that go with toast, potatoes, even steak. Wicker Park's Folklore (and its sister restaurant, Tango Sur) gets morcilla from its family butchery, El Mercado Food Mart in Lakeview, where patriarch Rodolfo Di Sapio messily adds beef blood to minced beef, pork and pork skin. The morcilla is baked at the restaurant, a black-as-the-night sausage with crisp casing, crusty baked ends and the interior texture of wet breadcrumbs. \$4 as side dish.

## Bun Bo Hue at Tank Noodle

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Considered Vietnam's second best-known noodle soup (behind pho), bun bo hue is a fiery beef soup bowl, with hints of lemongrass, shrimp paste and round noodles that slurp into the mouth with minimal effort. The pork blood cube plays a supporting role here, part of the beef shank, minced pork patty and pork knuckle ensemble. \$8.95.

## Dinuguan at Little Quiapo

6259 N. McCormick Ave., 773-279-8861

Every Filipino grew up eating dinuguan (pronounce all four syllables), a pork offal stew with beef blood. Do not recoil, America, for it's 10 times more delicious than its description: sauteed pork chunks and pork stomach sauteed with tomatoes, onions and garlic, thickened with beef blood and splashed with vinegar. Still with us? It resembles a Pueblan mole that's veering purple, a stew warming and pungent when ladled over steamed white rice. \$9.95.



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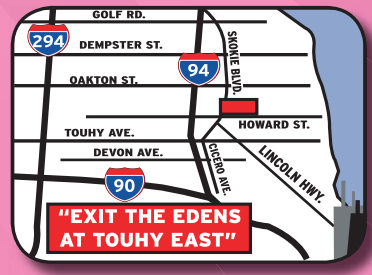


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# RECENT RESTAURANT OPENINGS

In food truck news, Wow Bao's **Buns on the Run** (@BaoMouth) and sandwich truck **Traffic Jam** (@TrafficJAMfood) from the owners of Elate and Jam debuted this week, and banh mi truck **Duck N Roll** (@DuckNRollTruck) is set to hit the streets Monday.

Water Tower Place's Foodlife has a new neighbor, **Foodease** (835 N. Michigan Ave. 312-335-3663), featuring stations for sushi and sandwiches plus a bakery, wine bar and chocolate bar.

On the downtown dining front, **The Southern Mac and Cheese Store** (60 E. Lake St. 312-262-7622) is settling into its Loop digs, while **Wildberry Pancakes & Cafe** (130 E. Randolph St. 312-938-9777) is giving Aon and Prudential building workers a new breakfast and lunch option.

Proving there is a ceiling-less market for cupcakes, **Sugar Bliss** (509 N. Orleans St. 312-845-9669) and **Crumbs** (346 N. Clark St. 312-755-0701) both opened River North locations.

**Mitad Del Mundo** (2833 W. Armitage Ave. 773-661-1150) in Logan Square is the latest creation from always-on-the-move chef Geno Bahena. **Barbari** (2020 W. Chicago Ave. 773-342-8220) is serving Middle Eastern-inspired pizzas, soups and sandwiches in Ukrainian Village.

Lincoln Park sushi spot **Nori** has expanded with a Wicker Park location (1393 N. Milwaukee Ave. 773-292-9992), while Uptown's beloved **Ba Le** has done the same with a Chinatown storefront (2141 S. Archer Ave. 312-528-6967).

In Lincoln Park, **2 Sparrows** (553 W. Diversey Parkway. 773-234-2320) is charming locals with its **oversize tater tots** and foie gras-filled take on Pop Tarts, while new quick-serve Italian eatery **Vapiano** (2577 N. Clark St. 773-904-7984) still is BYOB while awaiting a liquor license.



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### The Barrelhouse Flat 2624 N. Lincoln Ave.

Expect a hard time deciding on one drink from the expansive cocktail list at this Lincoln Park bar from former Violet Hour bartender **Stephen Cole**.



### The Pump Room

1301 N. State Pkwy. 312-601-2970

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### Butcher & the Burger

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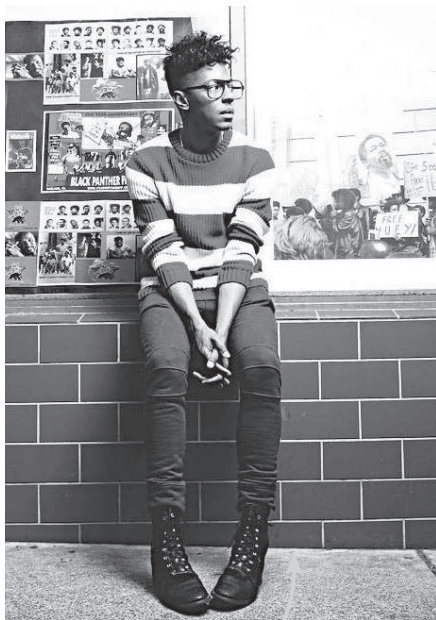
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# TOP WEEKEND SHOWS



## Spank Rock

10 p.m. Fri. \$15. *The Mid*, 306 N. Halsted St. 312-265-3990.

Count on plenty of eye-catching outfits, Halloween or not, in the crowd for this dance extravaganza. With The Death Set, Pictureplane and Franki Chen.

## Rebirth Brass Band

9:30 p.m. Fri.-Sat. \$25. *Martyrs*, 3855 N. Lincoln Ave. 773-404-9869.

If you're looking to party for Halloween, a party is what they'll deliver.

## Robert Randolph and the Family Band

8 p.m. Sat. \$25. *Park West*, 322 W. Armitage Ave. 773-929-5959.

Ditto.

## Halloween at Double Door: AM Taxi as The Clash, The Last Vegas as The Runaways, Blackbox as Stone Temple Pilots, Dorian Taj as Bob Dylan and Hessler as Judas Priest

9 p.m. Sat. \$12. *Double Door*, 1572 N. Milwaukee Ave. 773-489-3160.

Of course, these performers also act the part.

## Caitlin Rose

10 p.m. Sat. \$15-\$18. *Lincoln Hall*, 2424 N. Lincoln Ave. 773-525-2508.

Or forget all that and just hear a voice that could be around for a while. Hayes Carll headlines.

## FRIDAY

### DAVE LIEBMAN QUARTET

9 p.m. \$10-\$15. *Green Mill*, 4802 N. Broadway. 773-878-5552.

### THE FADERS, THE SLEEPTALKERS

9 p.m. \$10. *Hideout*, 1354 W. Wabansia Ave. 773-227-4433.

### GOLD PANDA

10 p.m. \$12-\$15. *Empty Bottle*, 1035 N. Western Ave. 773-276-3600.

### MICHELLE MALONE

\$15. *Fitzgerald's*, 6615 Roosevelt Rd., Berwyn. 708-788-2118.

### MİYAVI

7 p.m. \$27.50-\$30. *House of Blues*, 329 N. Dearborn St. 312-923-2000.

### OLLABELLE, DOM FLEMONS

7:30 p.m. \$18-\$22. *Old*

*Town School of Folk Music*, 4544 N. Lincoln Ave. 773-728-6000.

### OPETH, KATATONIA

7:30 p.m. \$29.50. *etix.com*. *Vic Theatre*, 3145 N. Sheffield Ave. 773-472-0449.

### SHELBY LYNNE

9 p.m. \$30-\$40. *Lincoln Hall*, 2424 N. Lincoln Ave. 773-525-2508.

### THE SUPER HAPPY FUN CLUB

8 p.m. \$10. *Beat Kitchen*, 2100 W. Belmont Ave. 773-281-4444.

### TOM RUSH

8 p.m. \$27-\$40. *SPACE*, 1245 Chicago Ave., Evanston. 847-492-8860.

### VEIL OF MAYA, AFTER THE BURIAL, MISERY SIGNALS, WITHIN THE RUINS

6 p.m. \$15. *Bottom*

*Lounge*, 1375 W. Lake St. 312-666-6775.

### WIDESPREAD PANIC

7 p.m. Sold out. *The Chicago Theatre*, 175 N. State St. 312-462-6300.

### SATURDAY DAVE LIEBMAN QUARTET

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### DAVID BIXLER/ARTURO O'FARRILL: THE AUCTION PROJECT

7 p.m. \$21-\$25. *Old Town School of Folk Music*, 4544 N. Lincoln Ave. 773-728-6000.

### ELEANOR FRIEDBERGER

9 p.m. \$12. *Subterranean*, 2011 W. North Ave. 773-278-6600.

### FOOTBALL, MANNEQUIN MEN, OUTER

### MINDS, COFFIN PRICKS

9 p.m. \$10. *Empty Bottle*, 1035 N. Western Ave. 773-276-3600.

### JUSTIN ROBERTS AND THE NOT READY FOR NAP-TIME PLAYERS

11 a.m. \$15. *SPACE*, 1245 Chicago Ave., Evanston. 847-492-8860.

### MICHAEL MCDERMOTT

8 p.m. \$22. *Beverly Arts Center of Chicago*, 2407 W. 111th St. 773-445-3838.

### WIDESPREAD PANIC

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### SUNDAY EXHUMED, GOATWHORE, CEPHALIC CARNAGE, HAVOK

9 p.m. \$16. *Reggie's Rock Club*,

2109 S. State St. 312-949-0120.

### FUTURE ISLANDS, JAVELIN, ED SCHRADER'S MUSIC BEAT

8 p.m. \$15. *Lincoln Hall*, 2424 N. Lincoln Ave. 773-525-2508.

### JOAN BAEZ

7:30 p.m. \$25-\$70. *Symphony Center*, 220 S. Michigan Ave. 312-294-3000.

### JOHN VINCENT MAHADY

2 p.m. \$20-\$25. *Mayne Stage*, 1328 W. Morse Ave. 773-381-4554.

### LOU AND PETER BERRYMAN

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### PLAIN WHITE T'S, THE SUMMER SET, THE DOWNTOWN FICTION, ALLI GILLIS, ALLISON PARK

5:30 p.m. \$21-\$23. *House of Blues*, 329 N. Dearborn St. 312-923-2000.

### SEBADOH, MAZES

8 p.m. \$20. *Schubas*, 3159 N. Southport Ave. 773-525-2508.

### SPOOKY SING-ALONG

10 a.m., 3 p.m. \$12. *Old Town School of Folk Music*, 909 W. Armitage Ave. 773-728-6000.

### THEODOSII SPASSOV AND BALKAN TALES

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# An ape wild tour for Gorilla Press? Lots of Drake

## Chi Tunes

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## Describe your sound in five words or less.

Brooding angular intelligent shimmery rock.

## Tell us something random about the band, and why that's significant.

Our band members come from many different ethnicities and heritages. It becomes interesting to see where we meet and agree on our ideals and impressions of life and the world, which then become the heart of our music.

## What's the best album you've heard recently?

"Thank Me Later" by Drake. Maybe seems like a weird choice, but it's uncommonly intimate for a hip-hop record; plus, the simple synth parts combined with the beats are really captivating. We listened to this probably three or four times through on our East Coast tour last summer.

## What song do you never want to hear again?

Tough question. It'd probably be one of my favorite songs from my younger days that have been trampled into meaninglessness by years of repetition. Such as "Come As You Are" or "Say It Ain't So." They're harder to hear than some random crappy song I never felt passionate for.

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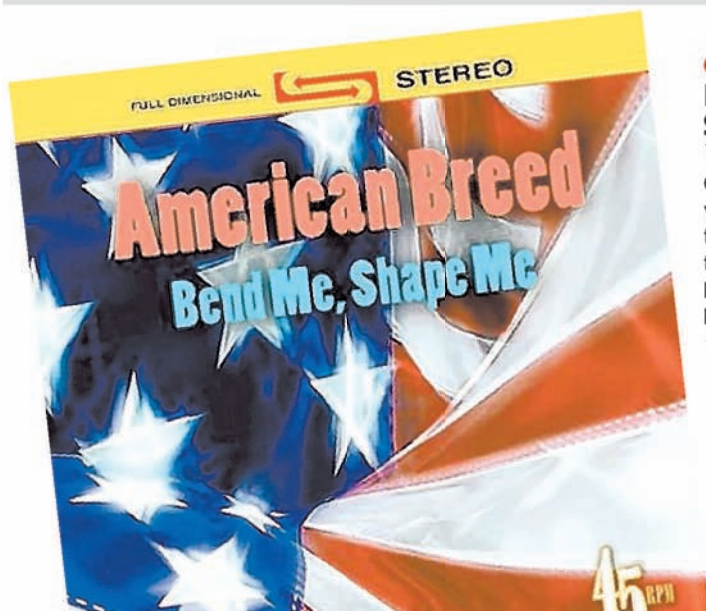
## NEW Halloween Fun

*The Spits*

While the Spits are known for smashing holes in your walls with your dad's bowling ball, this rare Halloween single recommends eating your blood and pissing it out. I released this record for the Seattle punks on slime-green vinyl, and each copy includes a custom lollipop that says, "Happy Halloween, Suckers!"



The Spits



## OLD Bend Me, Shape Me

*The American Breed*

Charting at No. 5 in 1968, you can trace this infectious tune back to hometown heroes. Its popularity is well-deserved because the beat makes you wanna jump like it's "American Bandstand" all over again! As native city kids, this song is inspirational to White Mystery and it's a dream to meet the original guitarist, Al Ciner.

## BEST SONG TO APPLY JUGGALO MAKEUP TO:

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Are you for or against encores at concerts and why?



Weezer performs at the Congress Theatre on Oct. 9.  
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### TWITTER

**@Linydru**  
against encores. Bands are expected to do them now. So they aren't even honest or about appreciation. Hate that they're expected.

**@jabramow**  
Encores are fun if you're into it but sometimes a great time to get out before the crowds!

**@vociferous\_girl**  
I don't think that bands should feel obligated to play encores; I'm all for them as long as the audience is deserving.

**@brynrich**  
Few things beat an honest to god audience demanded unplanned encore. See: Danzig Legacy last month

**@accidentintent**  
Only one, and only for a fabulous show. Otherwise it seems indulgent (and sometimes I just really want to go home haha)

**@teamzackyyv**  
For! I LOVE hearing at least one more song that I may not have heard before live.

### FACEBOOK

**Mark Maloney**  
All for it. Build up to a finale is always a good thing.

**Rich Ramey**  
For...who ever wants a show to end? Especially if it's one of your favorite bands or performers!

**Brian Tarman**  
I would rather have the band just state they have X amount of songs left and say what they are thinking of playing. The whole encore routine gets old after a while.

**Kevin Sliwa**  
Against. Shut up and play the songs without going off first

**Krissy Wolf**  
I always think of it as the time the performer takes to go use the bathroom.

**Jermelle Austin**  
For it. Sometime it's the best part of the concert

**Brando Wall**  
Are you for or against fun?

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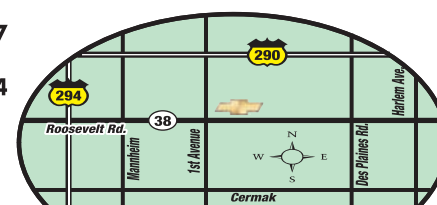
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I'm the cuteblonde at the other end of the train wearing a pink hoodie ... you a grey sweatshirt that says hotzone on it ... "

## Funny women = SEXY?

Ask any woman what qualities they're looking for in a partner and you'll find that a sense of humor is almost always in the top five. But, is the same true of men who date women?

According to YourTango's poll of 200,000 men, a sense of humor ranked as the fourth most important trait that men look for in a woman—above general body type. Men. Rated a sense of humor. As more important. Than what a woman's body looks like. Really. So, maybe these men were lying. (It's been known to happen.) Or, maybe there really is something incredibly attractive about a woman who cracks you up. Here are five possible reasons that men place laughing above looks. **THE DATE REPORT**

- 1 It's disarming:** Being put off your game can be a huge turn-on. If a woman is matching a guy quip for quip, it means his regular routine isn't working. Which means he'll have to work harder. Which makes him really want to have sex with that hilarious woman.
- 2 Funny = down for whatever (maybe):** We're not saying that a sense of humor means a woman is easy. We're saying that it means she's probably not too uptight. While it doesn't necessarily mean anything, a liberated mind could indicate that a person may be liberated in other areas, as well. Which is, you know, promising.
- 3 Laughter mimics sex:** Have you ever noticed what happens to your body when you laugh really hard? You get flushed, your breath quickens, you emit weird sounds that you would never otherwise let yourself make in front of another person—your body is out of control, but enjoyably so. Sound familiar?
- 4 Banter:** Humphrey Bogart and Lauren Bacall had it in "The Big Sleep." Cary Grant and Rosalind Russel had it in "His Girl Friday." We're talking about sexual tension as the result of clever wordplay, and there's nothing like it. It's hot. And if you're not funny, you can't do it.
- 5 More comfortable, more real:** No one, not even you, has sex like they do in the movies every time. We are humans and therefore are subject to weakness, folly, embarrassing bodily functions, failed attempts at "dirty talk" and general clumsiness. So isn't it better to be with someone who will make a joke when things take an unexpected turn rather than be mortified? Laughter won't kill the mood completely—awkwardness will.

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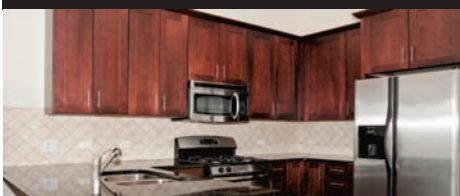


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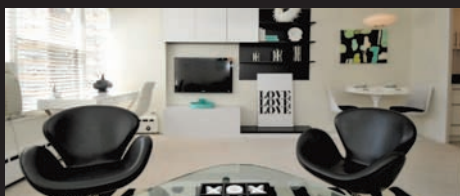
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## Shoes fit for a Rose

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Full disclosure: I can't play basketball anything like Derrick Rose. Hell, I probably can't play basketball like Pete Rose. But that won't stop me from wearing Adidas' new adiZero Rose 2 shoe. The Bulls point guard's new kicks landed in stores Oct. 6—and I've been wearing them off and on since then. Here's what I can tell you about them: [BRMOORE@TRIBUNE.COM](mailto:BRMOORE@TRIBUNE.COM) | @BRMOORE

**Looks:** The adiZeros are sharp-lookin' shoes. They are available in three color combinations—black with white and red features; white with black and red features; and all black—with more to be released later this year. The first combo is the best of the bunch. The black has the familiar white Adidas stripes on the heel, with a red mesh on each side for breathability. Interestingly, the words "all flights canceled" are written on the tongue. Inside the shoe, it says, "chicago: cleared for takeoff."

**Build:** The adiZeros are not as light as Rose's first signature shoe, the adiZero Crazy Light, and that's because, frankly, they are better built for the masses. The shoe's base is a sturdy, solid white sole.

**Fit:** This is tricky because every person's foot is different. I have a very wide foot, and the adiZero 2 seemed to be a bit tight on the sides of my feet. The rest of the shoe, though, fit like a glove. The stretchable ankle strap really makes it easy to get the laces as tight or loose as you like.

**Overall:** I won't be able to outrace LeBron James and Dwyane Wade for an easy layup wearing them, but I sure will look good in them. Even if the only hoops I'm shooting are on my Wii.

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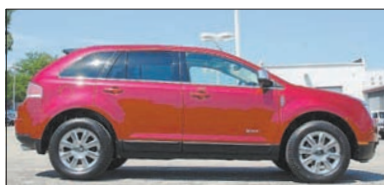
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## 5 secrets for finding cheap flights, hotels

By Leonor Vivanco

REDEYE

Sometimes it pays to procrastinate.

Travelers might be able to save more if they hold off just a little longer on booking a getaway. The catch to getting such deep discounts is that they have to be flexible in choosing the place to visit and travel dates for a trip.

A common misconception in the travel industry is that it costs more to book last-minute compared to weeks and months ahead of time, said Clem Bason, president of the Hotwire Group. But that's not always true, he added.

In fact, 70 percent of Americans believe booking a last-minute trip costs more than booking one in advance, according to a new **hotwire.com** American Travel Behavior Survey. The results of the online survey of more

than 2,000 adults in conjunction with Harris Interactive were released this month.

"The discount gets amazingly good over the week coming up to the trip and spectacularly good the day of the booking," Bason said. "That's because hotels have a high incentive to get guests to stay so more rooms get booked."

Booking a last-minute getaway within seven days to Chicago can result in an average hotel discount of 51 percent on Hotwire compared to retail rates, according to Hotwire.

The savings should be good news to the 82 percent in the survey who said they would need a discount of at least 10 percent off to take one more trip than they already planned to take.

Bason gave RedEye five travel tips to finding discounted deals.

- 1** Book flights for the emptiest days for airlines: Tuesdays and Wednesdays compared to weekends.
- 2** The cheapest night to stay at hotels is Sunday because many travelers go home and business travelers have not yet arrived.
- 3** If renting a car, try to book it for seven days because that's when the price per day drops down.
- 4** If a good discounted rate is found at the last minute, don't wait to book it. Usually, there are very few excess hotel rooms or airline seats and they will get snapped up quickly.
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- 6 Down the \_; at a late date
- 10 Folded over
- 14 Crown
- 15 Not working
- 16 "...lived happily \_ after."
- 17 Long-plumed heron
- 18 Mothers of fawns
- 19 Deep wet mud
- 20 At any time
- 22 Develop
- 24 Miner's finds
- 25 Oiled
- 26 Reese or Herman
- 29 Made of a cereal grain
- 30 Find a sum
- 31 Rough \_; preliminary version
- 33 Mountaintops
- 37 Near
- 39 Less risky
- 41 Eat
- 42 Take an extra base
- 44 Adjust an alarm
- 46 Actress \_ Thompson
- 47 Henry VIII's royal house
- 49 \_ hound; long-eared dog
- 51 Char
- 54 Lahr or Parks
- 55 Growth of alga and fungus
- 56 From dusk till dawn
- 60 Poker bet
- 61 Killer whale
- 63 Home of snow
- 64 Forest animal
- 65 Grave
- 66 Small bony fish
- 67 Singer/actor Nelson \_
- 68 Peepers
- 69 \_ over; delivers

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- 2 On drugs
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- 5 Irrigated
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- 23 Biden, for short
- 25 Fence openings
- 26 Skillets
- 27 Correct text
- 28 Margin
- 29 Bid
- 32 Burr or Spelling
- 34 Feels sick
- 35 Leg joint
- 36 Chair or bench
- 38 Fish \_; site for developing & breeding
- 40 Refuse to obey
- 43 Gospel writer
- 45 Sully
- 48 Signify; mean
- 50 Mark of shame or discredit
- 51 Part of a sword
- 52 Like school paper
- 53 Performed
- 54 Tattles
- 56 Pinnacle
- 57 Narrow valley
- 58 \_ on to; clutch
- 59 Little children
- 62 Singer Orbison

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## HAPPY HEIDI-DAY

If there's one thing **Heidi Klum** loves, it's Halloween. The supermodel, known for her elaborate costumes, gave a preview of her getups for this year's festivities. One night, she's going as some sort of hairy ape, and the other, an anatomy model.

# HAUNTED HOLLYWOOD

Don't get spooked—  
it's just the scariest  
celebrity news  
from this week

By Dana Moran | REDEYE

Hollywood can be a pretty frightening place to begin with, but Halloween seems to whip everybody into an especially haunted frenzy. We scoured this week's celeb news—from the scary-awesome to the scary-horrifying, and the scary-trashy to the scary-fabulous—to see how everybody's doing. Check it out. [DAMORAN@TRIBUNE.COM](mailto:DAMORAN@TRIBUNE.COM) | [@REDEYEDANA](http://@REDEYEDANA)



● **"HARRY POTTER"** movies soon will be disappearing from stores faster than you can say "expelliarmus!" We have a feeling Dumbledore would not approve.



● **ADELE** is appearing on the cover of *Cosmopolitan*. Really? She's so much more of a *Vogue* girl—or at least *Glamour*.

● H&M will release a line of **"GIRL WITH THE DRAGON TATTOO"** clothes. Because clearly the people going to see the movie don't know that you can get the same thing at your neighborhood Brown Elephant.

## SCARY CLASSY



● **SEAN PENN** is going to direct **ROBERT DE NIRO** and **KRISTEN WIIG** in a drama about a comedian. One of these three people probably is slightly intimidated by the other two.



● **WILCO AND GARRETT POPCORN** are releasing a special edition Chicago mix tin. Now if only the band could do something about those lines...

● **BEYONCE AND JAY-Z'S** baby (Babyonce) is rumored to be a girl. Bey-Z? Jayonce? We'll work on it.

## SCARY HORRIFYING



● **FAT JOE** revealed on his Web series that R. Kelly once was part of an underground Chicago fight club. Get your eyes checked, Joe. That totally was Brad Pitt.

● **KIM KARDASHIAN** to star as an actual marriage counselor in new Tyler Perry movie. Our professional advice? Back away slowly.



● **LINDSAY LOHAN** reportedly will appear in *Playboy*. Naked. We're assuming this isn't one of the terms of her parole.



## SCARY TRASHY



● **ROBIN WILLIAMS** got remarried. And also grew THIS beard. All he needs now is a chimney.



● **ROBERT PATTINSON** worked out insanely hard for the "Breaking Dawn" movies so he wouldn't look wimpy next to Taylor Lautner. And everybody wins!



● **BEAVIS AND BUTT-HEAD** have returned to their couch, but this time, they're making fun of "Jersey Shore." Good, we'd almost run out of Snooki jokes.

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2003 Oldsmobile Alero #P16029, Red, Low Miles, Super Nice	<b>\$8,977</b>	2010 Chevy HHR LT #XP15996, Red, Full Power	<b>\$13,977</b>	2008 Toyota Rav4 #47198A, Silver, Limited, Leather, Roof	<b>\$19,477</b>
2005 Ford Escape #P16138 4x4, Leather, Roof, Gray!	<b>\$8,977</b>	2007 Dodge Charger #P15936, Black, Alloys, V6	<b>\$14,977</b>	2009 Ford Mustang GT #11237-A, 5 Speed, A/C	<b>\$22,977</b>
2007 Ford Explorer XLT #47362A, Red, CD, 4x2	<b>\$8,977</b>	2003 Mercedes-Benz C240 #P15990, 4matic, Blue	<b>\$14,977</b>	2011 Ford Flex SEL FWD #XP16041, White, Full Pwr, 24K	<b>\$27,977</b>
2003 Chevy Trailblazer LT 4x4 #XP15947, Extended, Gray	<b>\$9,777</b>	2009 Toyota Yaris #XP15719, Blue, Auto, 36K	<b>\$15,277</b>	2010 Chevy Silverado Pick Up Super Cab #11559A Must See, Loaded!	<b>\$29,977</b>
2004 Chevy Monte Carlo SS #P15983, Blk, Moonroof, Leather	<b>\$10,977</b>	2007 Dodge Magnum #MP15937, White, V6, Nice	<b>\$15,777</b>	2006 Land Rover Range Rover #P15753A, Supercharged!	<b>\$34,977</b>
2004 Ford E350 #P15732A, 15 Pass, Loaded, White	<b>\$10,977</b>	2011 Chevy Impala LT #XP16035, Red, Loaded, Nice	<b>\$15,977</b>	2011 Chevy Corvette #11224A, Gray, Only 3K Miles!	<b>\$42,977</b>

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# red hot



**8** number of character teaser posters for "The Hunger Games" that have been released, distributed individually to various websites

**“** We're having a boy! We're so happy that Axel gets to have a brother so close in age. And that I get to add another set of balls to my very, very male world.”

— "It's Always Sunny in Philadelphia" star **Kaitlin Olson** to **people.com** on expecting her second child with husband and costar Rob McElhenney.



## Bob who?

On an upcoming Bob Dylan tribute album to benefit Amnesty International, singers including Adele, Ke\$ha and Miley Cyrus will record songs, MSNBC says. If Miley Cyrus doesn't need to be told who Bob Dylan is, we'll eat this newspaper.

# CREEP SHOW

A poll dug up the celebrities who most ick us out (though they did use the term "celebrity" a bit freely). Shock-rockers **Marilyn Manson** deservedly took top honors. According to E-Poll Market Research, here's the list of the remaining creepstars:

2. Casey Anthony
3. O.J. Simpson
4. Spencer Pratt
5. Nadya "Octomom" Suleman
6. Charlie Sheen
6. Eliot Spitzer
8. Woody Allen
8. **Tim Burton**
10. Jesse James



## Crown her ass

**Melissa McCarthy** appears on the latest cover of Entertainment Weekly with the headline "The New Queen of Comedy," dressed as the Queen of England and holding a Corgi. In the interview, McCarthy says "I'm more confident than I've ever felt in my life." The former Plainfield gal has been having an unbelievable year.



## 2001 all over again

They've been "bye bye" for six years, but US Weekly reports N'Sync recently reunited in Orlando for band member Chris Kirkpatrick's 40th (wow) birthday. And in other reunion news, the cast of "Scrubs"—sans Donald Faison—will get together in an episode of "Cougar Town" this season.



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